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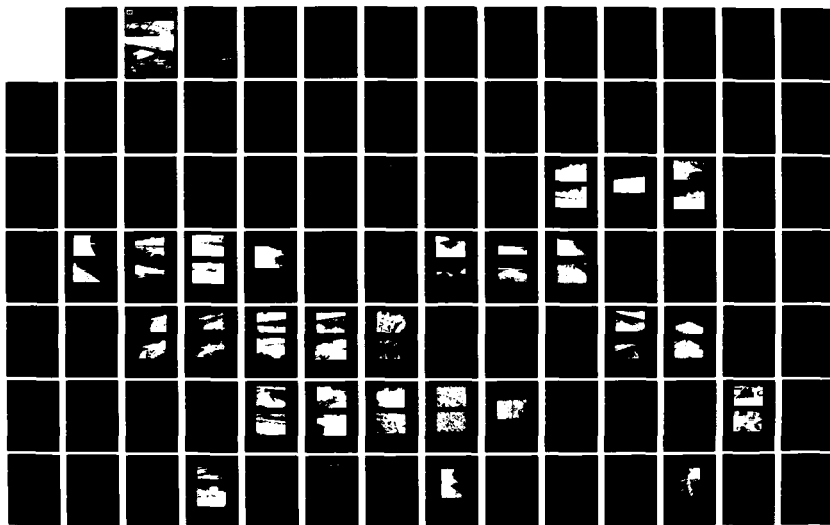
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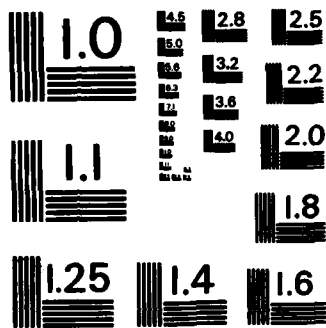
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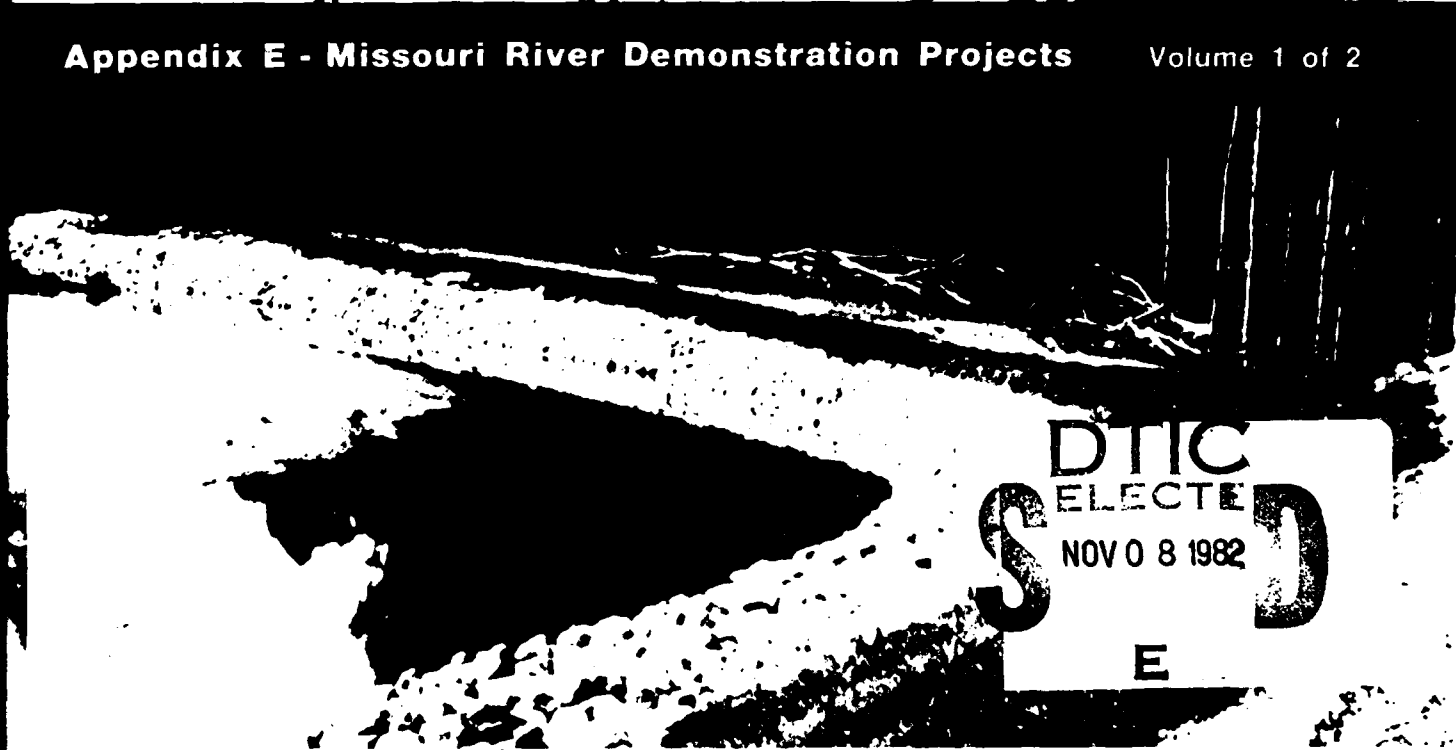
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Consisting of

A COMPREHENSIVE SUMMARY REPORT ON TWENTY-EIGHT  
STREAMBANK EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS ON  
THE MISSOURI RIVER IN THE THREE REACHES: GARRISON DAM  
TO LAKE OAHE, FT. RANDALL DAM TO NIOBRARA, AND GAVINS  
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**MISSOURI RIVER, GARRISON DAM TO  
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## **APPENDIX E-1**

### **Section 32 Program Streambank Erosion Control Evaluation and Demonstration Act of 1974**

#### **MISSOURI RIVER, GARRISON DAM TO LAKE OAHE, NORTH DAKOTA DEMONSTRATION PROJECT REPORT**

##### **I - INTRODUCTION**

###### **A. PROJECT NAMES AND LOCATIONS.**

Seventeen demonstration projects have been constructed on the Missouri River in this reach between Garrison Dam and Lake Oahe. The names and locations of all the demonstration projects are shown in Table 1-1. All locations are designated according to 1960 river mileage.

###### **B. AUTHORITY.**

The authority for the projects in this reach is the Streambank Erosion Control Evaluation and Demonstration Act of 1974, Section 32, Public Law 93-251, as amended by P.L. 94-587, Water Resources Development Act of 1976, Section 161.

###### **C. PURPOSE AND SCOPE.**

The purpose and scope of this report is to describe the bank erosion problems, the types of bank protection used, and evaluate the performance of the 17 Section 32 demonstration projects on the Missouri River, between Garrison Dam and Lake Oahe, constructed and monitored by the Omaha District.

###### **D. PROBLEM RESUME.**

Essentially all river stages in the open reach of the river downstream of Garrison Dam and above Lake Oahe have been confined within

**Table 1-1**  
**SECTION 32, GARRISON DAM TO LAKE OAKE**

| <u>Project Name</u>        | <u>Bank</u> | <u>Project Limits</u><br><u>1960 River Mileage</u> | <u>Status</u> | <u>Initial Project</u><br><u>Completion Date</u> |
|----------------------------|-------------|--|---------------|--|
| Eagle Park                 | L           | 1324.6-1322.0                                      | completed     | Aug 77   |
| Sandstone Bluff I          | L           | 1369.3-1367.4                                      | completed     | Jul 79   |
| Sandstone Bluff II         | L           | 1367.4-1365.5                                      | completed     | Jul 79   |
| Lewis & Clark 4-H Camp     | L           | 1358.0-1356.5                                      | completed     | Aug 79   |
| Sanger                     | R           | 1346.0-1345.0                                      | completed     | Nov 79   |
| Burnt Creek                | L           | 1322.0-1320.0                                      | completed     | Jul 80   |
| I-94                       | R           | 1318.5-1316.0                                      | completed     | Sep 80   |
| Pretty Point (Phase I)     | R           | 1343.8-1342.4                                      | completed     | Aug 81   |
| Price I (Phase I)          | R           | 1342.4-1339.0                                      | completed     | Aug 81   |
| Coal Lake Coulee (Phase I) | L           | 1359.2-1358.6                                      | completed     | Jun 81   |
| Knife Point I (Phase I)    | L           | 1374.0-1373.3                                      | completed     | Jun 81   |
| Wildwood (Phase I)         | L           | 1345.1-1344.2                                      | completed     | May 81   |
| Price II (Phase I)         | L           | 1338.8-1338.0                                      | completed     | May 81   |
| Fort Lincoln (Phase I)     | R           | 1311.1-1309.8                                      | completed     | Jun 81   |
| Horseshoe Butte (Phase I)  | R           | 1335.7-1334.0                                      | completed     | Jun 81   |
| Knife Point II (Phase I)   | R           | 1380.2-1378.8                                      | completed     | Jun 81   |
| Hancock (Phase I)          | R           | 1386.0-1384.5                                      | completed     | Jun 81   |

the channel below the high river banks with the exception of short reaches near the mouths of the Knife and Heart Rivers. The Knife and Heart River areas are occasionally subject to flooding from tributary runoff. Overbank flooding has been essentially eliminated since closure of Garrison Dam in 1955 which controls river flows in this reach. This is in contrast to pre-dam conditions when overbank flooding occurred practically every year. Sediment loads in this reach consist of bed material load derived from the river bed, and bed material and wash load derived from eroded river banks.

Bank erosion in this reach results in a permanent net loss of high valley lands. High valley lands are being converted to river channel and sand bar areas, while the width between high banks continues to increase. This process, unless halted, would eventually transform the present river into a wide area of sand bars and channels, occupying an increasing proportion of the valley width between bluffs.

There are about 109 miles of erodible bankline in the reach between Garrison Dam and Lake Oahe. Between 1954 and 1975 the total high overbank area lost to erosion in this reach amounted to 1,692 acres. This is equivalent to 1.1 acres per river mile per year. Within this reach the loss of high bank land in any one year is usually concentrated over a few thousand feet of bankline in one or more locations. The location of active erosion may shift from place to place with time. Over the years every stretch of erodible bankline is potentially subject to active erosion. The continuing threat of bankline erosion is a particular problem for those activities where proximity to the river bank is either desirable or necessary. These include but are not limited to irrigation intakes, summer homes, power plant intakes, and recreation facilities. The preservation of forest land is of special concern since much of the remaining uncleared woodlands in the Missouri River bottoms are concentrated near the river banks.

## II-HISTORICAL DESCRIPTION

### A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

#### 1. GEOMORPHOLOGY

a. Physiography. The Garrison Dam to Lake Oahe reach of the Missouri River is a part of the Missouri Plateau section of the Great Plains Physiographic Province. The region to the east of the Missouri River has a distinctly glaciated terrain, mantled by glacial drift that averages 100 feet in thickness. These glacial deposits have altered all but the major preglacial topographic features and have obliterated the former drainage patterns east of the Missouri River. Smooth ground moraine areas are set off by hummocky topography of end or terminal moraines. Large areas of the plateau are characterized by outwash channels, lake bed depressions and other features inherent to glaciation. West of the Missouri River, although having some glacial features, is mainly a well-drained, rolling country of moderate relief. There are glacial deposits filling the valleys, but preglacial features have not been so altered as those east of the Missouri River. Bedrock formations (Fort Union beds) are more conspicuously exposed in the higher ground. In this area, the glacial drift is much older than that east of the river and a mature drainage pattern has developed over the terrain.

b. Topography. The Missouri valley in this region varies from 2 to 4 miles in width and has entrenched its valley 200 to 600 feet below the general level of the plateau. It has a distinct flood plain floor upon which the Missouri River meanders from one side to the other in a series of large bends and loops. The bluffs along the valley sides are high and gullied. In many places where the river flows against the bluffs, steep cliffs have been cut. Young tributary gullies extend back into the highlands for distances up to 5 miles and have developed

a badlands topography that fringes the main valley in many places. Prominent terraces are developed along the main valley. These occur at all levels from the crest of the valley sides down to almost flood plain level. These terraces appear to be old abandoned levels of the ancient riverbed. They are definitely stream cut and many of them contain large deposits of sands and gravels. The gradient of the river along this reach varies between 0.75 and one foot per mile.

c. Geology. Bedrock along this reach of the Missouri River consists of sedimentary deposits of the lower Tertiary Period (Paleocene Epoch). The two formations encountered along this reach are, in ascending order, the Cannonball Formation and the Tongue River Formation, which together form the Fort Union Group. The Fort Union deposits are, for the most part, of shallow marine or continental origin. The bedrock along the upstream portion of this reach and in the vicinity of Garrison Dam is the Tongue River Formation. The Tongue River Formation is composed of calcareous sandstone, clayey and silty shale, and lignite. As the river approaches Washburn, North Dakota, the Cannonball becomes the most prominent formation. The Cannonball consists of marine sandstones and shales. These formations are exposed primarily along the walls of the valley as they are buried by the valley overburden of the flood plain.

Evidence indicates the floor of the valley along this reach has been scoured out to a maximum depth of about 200 feet below the present river level. However, it is most often less. The materials that have filled the valley are sands, gravels, clay (alluvium and colluvium), and glacial till. The overburden along the valley walls consist primarily of glacial till in the higher elevations, while alluvium and terrace deposits are common at lower elevations. A geologic profile at the Garrison Dam site is shown on plate 0-2.

## 2. RIVERBANK DESCRIPTION.

a. Bank Soil Types. Bank material adjacent to river channels are formed of fine to medium textured alluvium deposits. Particles sizes vary from a fine grained clay to a coarse gravel; with silty fine sand, sandy silt and fine sand the predominant texture.

b. Upper Bank Land Use. Although most of the Missouri River floodplain has been converted to agricultural use (cropland and hayland), considerable riparian woodland remains. Most woodland areas range from 50 to 250 acres in size. Except for the Game Management Areas (lands administered by the North Dakota Game and Fish Department), the woodlands are used extensively for cattle pasture and feedlots.

3. HYDROLOGIC CHARACTERISTICS. The climate of the reach of the Missouri River from Garrison Dam to Bismarck is semi-arid. In an average year the annual precipitation totals 17 inches. More than 75 percent of this amount falls during the six month period of April through September. June normally is the wettest month with an average of 3.9 inches. December is normally the driest month with an average of .4 inch.

Daily maximum temperatures for July, the warmest month, average 84° F, with daily minimum temperatures averaging 58° F. In January, the coldest month, daily maximum temperatures average 19° F, while daily minimum temperatures average -2° F. The average freeze-free period is 134 days, from May 13 to September 24.

The Missouri River generally is frozen over from November 25 to April 1, with the ice reaching a thickness of about 29 inches by the end of February. Flow is controlled by Garrison Dam, which virtually eliminates the threat of serious floods. In general, major flooding on the tributaries to this reach is usually a result of the spring snow



melt runoff. The maximum discharge recorded on the Knife River at Hazen was 35,300 c.f.s. on June 24, 1966. The maximum discharge recorded on the Heart River near Mandan was 30,500 c.f.s. on April 19, 1950. The projected 100-year release from Garrison Dam is 70,000 c.f.s.

4. EXISTING CHANNEL CONDITIONS. Between Garrison Dam and Lake Oahe there are presently a total of 87 unprotected open river miles. The river channel width between high banks is about 2,100 feet. Essentially all river stages in the open river reach downstream from the dam have been confined within the channel below the high river banks.

The river channel area between high banks contained three characteristic areas: the normal flow channel, high sand bars, and islands. The normal flow channel lies in a sandy bed that has been degrading slowly since the closing of Garrison Dam. The degradation has been accompanied by channel meandering and braiding. Between the high banks, bar areas give way to the channel and channel areas become bars. Main channels fill in to become inactive chutes, and secondary channels open up to become main channels. The location of the normal flow channel continually shifts in response to these processes, resulting in a gradual widening of the area occupied by channel, sand bars, and islands.

5. ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS. The Missouri River provides the highest quality river fishery in North Dakota. Primary game fish species are walleye, sauger, northern pike, rainbow and brown trout, and coho and chinook salmon. Important nongame species include channel catfish, white bass, goldeyes, carp, buffalo and shovelnose sturgeon. The river has been rated as Class I, Highest Valued Fishery Resource by the NDGFD. It provides fish species that are of high interest to area anglers. The good quality, cold water that is released at Garrison Dam helps to maintain the fishery.

The riparian woodlands found along the Missouri River provides some of the best habitat in the state. Two big game species, white-tailed deer and turkeys, attain their highest population levels along the Missouri River. Recent NDGFD surveys indicate that approximately 3,000 deer and 2,000-2,500 turkeys winter between Garrison Dam and Bismarck. In addition, waterfowl rest during migration on the numerous sandbars. In an average year, 2,000-4,000 mallard ducks winter on the open river below the dam.

The Missouri River also provides quality habitat for a wide range of resident nongame species including a host of songbirds and small mammals. Avian species include the red-tailed hawk, brown thrasher, least flycatcher, western meadowlark and orchard oriole. Common mammal species include beaver, muskrat, long-tailed weasel and badger. Least terns, uncommon in North Dakota, have been known to nest on the numerous sandbars on the Missouri River.

Endangered Species that range in the area include the bald eagle, peregrine falcon and whooping crane. All are migrants in the area. Bald eagles winter in the river reach, and are also known to nest in the region. Whooping crane and peregrine falcon sightings are uncommon, but bald and golden eagles are common along the river. Most of the eagle use occurs in a reach 10 miles downstream from Garrison Dam. Peak eagle numbers usually occur in December as eagles migrate south, and in March on the return migration.

## **B. DEMONSTRATION PROJECT REACH**

### **1. HYDRAULIC CHARACTERISTICS.**

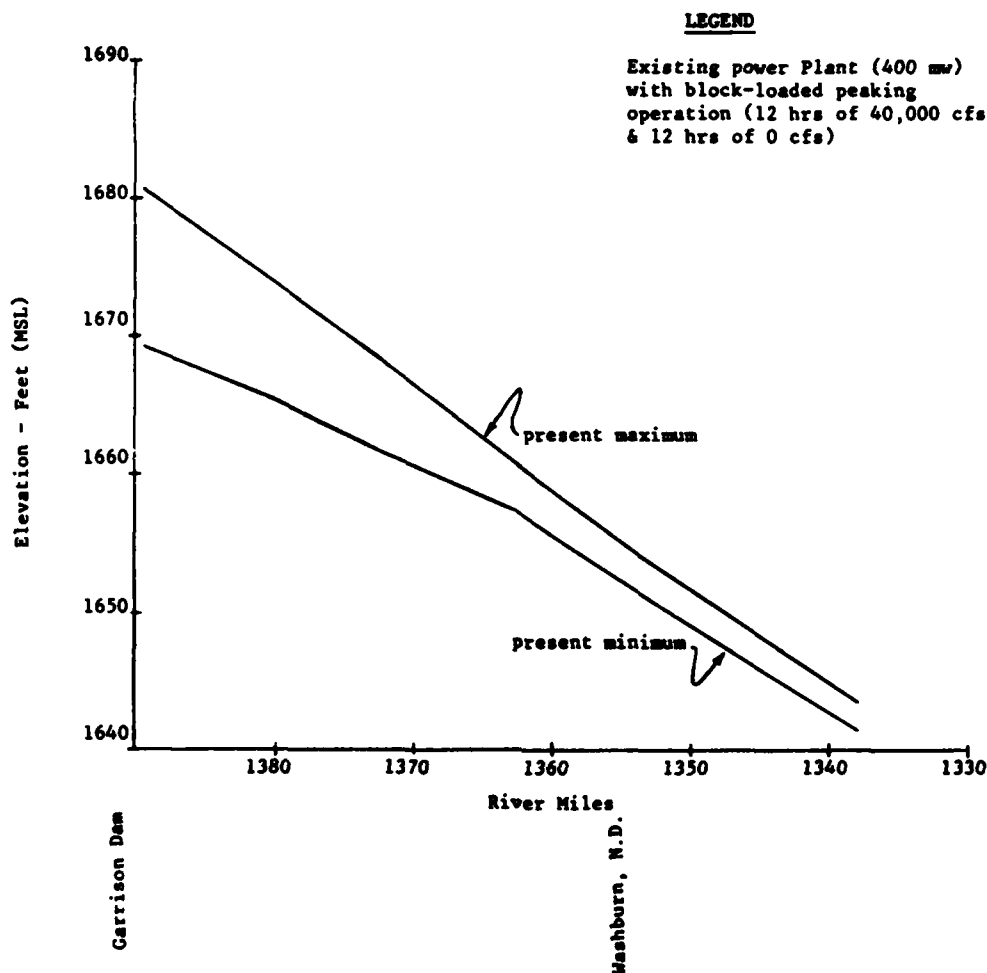
a. Channel Widths and Depths. The flood plain width (distance between high bank) averages over 2,100 feet and varies from 1,200 feet to over 5,000 feet in some areas. The main channel widths range from

400 feet and 20 feet. The main channel widths and depths vary each day due to the routine power peaking operations of Garrison Dam which causes sizable fluctuation in daily releases, as discussed in subparagraph c.

b. Construction Reference Plane. The Construction Reference Plane (CRP) in this reach represents the estimated water surface profile for a steady state discharge of 35,000 cfs. The normal power peaking operations of Garrison Dam are such that CRP stages in the Garrison to Lake Oahe reach, are usually experienced daily for several hours. Stages for the remainder of the day fluctuate below the CRP elevation. The CRP thus represents a key elevation for structure planning and design and also provides a visual datum plan in the field to effectively monitor construction operations and to evaluate completed structures. Plate 0-3 shows the Construction Reference Plan for the Garrison Dam to Lake Oahe reach. Figure 1-1 shows the maximum and minimum water surface elevation for Garrison Dam to Lake Oahe.

c. Stage Fluctuations. Discharges from Garrison Dam vary considerably to meet power production requirements. An "average" day will include releases of 0-10,000 cfs for a short period during the early morning hours and a maximum of from 35,000 cfs to 38,000 cfs during the forenoon to late evening peak power production period. The range of stage fluctuations resulting from Garrison releases is shown on Plate 0-3. Plate 0-4 indicates the flow duration curve for Garrison Dam to Lake Oahe reach.

FIGURE 1-1  
DOWNSTREAM WATER SURFACE PROFILES  
BELOW GARRISON DAM



d. Sediment Characteristics. The sediment characteristics of the Garrison to Oahe reach are typical of a reach in a state of degradation, in which the upstream reservoir traps virtually all incoming sediment load. Sediment load in the downstream reaches, therefore, consist of bed material load derived from the river bed, and bed material and wash load derived from eroded river banks and tributary inflows. The average annual measured load ranges from 0 downstream of the Dam to 7,621,000 tons per year at the Bismarck sediment measuring station. Variation in the annual sediment loads over the past twenty

years has ranged from 2,346,800 tons in 1977 to 15,367,080 tons in 1971. A tabulation of the average annual measured load at Bismarck since closure of Garrison Dam is given in Table 1-2. The channel bed is thought to be armored with a layer of relatively nonmovable coarse sands, gravels and cobbles for a distance of approximately 3 miles downstream of the Dam. Downstream of the armored reach the bed surface is composed of coarse to fine grained sediments with the D50 grain sizes averaging about 0.7 mm at the upstream end of the reach and decreasing exponentially to a value of approximately 0.25 mm fifty miles downstream. The average monthly values for the percent sand, silt and clay distributions of the suspended material, including the D10, the D50 and the D90 particle size gradations of the bed material, at the downstream end of the degradation reach near Bismarck, North Dakota is given in Table 1-3. From this table it can be seen that approximately 27% of the measured suspended load is silt and clay while the remaining 71% is made up of suspended sand size particles. Approximately 50% of the bed material is finer than .23 mm.

Table 1-2

**WATER DISCHARGE AND  
SUSPENDED SEDIMENT RECORD  
AT BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA**

| <b>WATER DISCHARGE AND SEDIMENT LOAD RECORD</b> |                              |                               |             |                              |                               |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>YEAR</b>                                     | <b>DISCHARGE<br/>(AC-FT)</b> | <b>SEDIMENT<br/>(TONS/YR)</b> | <b>YEAR</b> | <b>DISCHARGE<br/>(AC-FT)</b> | <b>SEDIMENT<br/>(TONS/YR)</b> |
| 1947  | 21,010,000                   | 94,196,330                    | 1963        | 10,440,000                   | 3,816,000                     |
| 1948  | 21,620,000                   | 77,226,550                    | 1964        | 14,380,000                   | 6,487,000                     |
| 1949  | 18,334,200                   | 45,298,080                    | 1965        | 17,130,000                   | 12,741,000                    |
| 1950  | 17,360,000                   | 52,597,800                    | 1966        | 15,670,000                   | 7,481,000                     |
| 1951  | 20,120,000                   | 47,054,300                    | 1967        | 19,250,000                   | 8,821,000                     |
| 1952  | 22,795,000                   | 69,548,500                    | 1968        | 18,260,000                   | 8,211,000                     |
| 1953  | 16,520,000                   | 41,312,200                    | 1969        | 21,760,000                   | 8,105,000                     |
| 1954  | 17,660,000                   | 15,818,660                    | 1970        | 20,520,000                   | 9,714,490                     |
| 1955  | 13,880,000                   | 10,794,000                    | 1971        | 23,330,000                   | 15,367,080                    |
| 1956  | 14,940,000                   | 9,862,000                     | 1972        | 22,750,000                   | 14,381,000                    |
| 1957  | 11,310,000                   | 5,448,000                     | 1973        | 16,695,000                   | 3,933,100                     |
| 1958  | 12,650,000                   | 5,760,000                     | 1974        | 18,354,000                   | 4,366,900                     |
| 1959  | 13,400,000                   | 5,339,000                     | 1975        | 25,798,000                   | 6,621,800                     |
| 1960  | 10,419,000                   | 3,419,000                     | 1976        | 24,652,000                   | 6,387,400                     |
| 1961  | 11,650,000                   | 4,119,000                     | 1977        | 16,620,000                   | 2,346,800                     |
| 1962  | 13,610,000                   | 6,170,000                     | 1978        | 20,050,000                   | 4,415,300                     |

Table 1-3

**SUMMARY OF SEDIMENT PARTICLE SIZE ANALYSIS  
MISSOURI RIVER  
AT  
BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA**

| Month | Average<br>Suspended Particle Size<br>By Percent Finer |             |                    | Average<br>Bed Particle Size for Selected<br>Percentages in Millimeters |             |             |
|-------|--|-------------|--------------------|---|-------------|-------------|
|       | Sand<br>(%)  | Clay<br>(%) | Silt + Clay<br>(%) | 10%<br>(mm)   | 50%<br>(mm) | 90%<br>(mm) |
| Oct   | 81   | —           | 19                 | 0.41  | 0.23        | 0.14        |
| Nov   | 83   | —           | 17                 | 0.41  | 0.23        | 0.14        |
| Dec   | 84   | —           | 16                 | 0.41  | 0.23        | 0.14        |
| Jan   | 43   | —           | 57                 | 0.43  | 0.22        | 0.19        |
| Feb   | 66   | —           | 34                 | 0.50  | 0.24        | 0.12        |
| Mar   | 57   | 41          | 43                 | 0.40  | 0.23        | 0.15        |
| Apr   | 68   |             | 32                 | 0.51  | 0.26        | 0.17        |
| May   | 63   |             | 37                 | 0.55  | 0.25        | 0.16        |
| Jun   | 73   |             | 27                 | 0.45  | 0.24        | 0.14        |
| Jul   | 79   |             | 21                 | 0.59  | 0.22        | 0.14        |
| Aug   | 79   |             | 21                 | 0.34  | 0.23        | 0.15        |
| Sep   | 74   |             | 26                 | 0.38  | 0.23        | 0.14        |

Suspended Sample Period: 1965 Thru 1967 Water Year

Bed Sample Period: 1964 Thru 1967 Water Year

e. Degradation. Degradation in this reach, since the closure of Garrison Dam in 1955, ranges from 8 feet immediately below the dam to about 2 feet, 50 miles downstream. Degradation in the reach immediately below the dam is currently averaging about 0.2 feet per year.

f. Streambank Erosion Rates. Aerial photography surveys for different years have been analyzed to obtain estimates of valley lands lost due to bank erosion. The results shown in Table 1-4 indicate that the average annual erosion losses since closure of Garrison Dam significantly decreased, but still remains a critical problem. The erosion rates by river mileage for the reach from Garrison Dam to Lake Oahe are shown in Table 1-5. The erosion along this reach is not limited to the high bank areas.

Islands and vegetated bar areas are also lost rapidly due to erosion. Unlike the high bank area, the higher island areas cannot be recreated naturally. Although new vegetated bar/island areas are developing it appears that the rate of higher vegetated bar/island destruction exceeds the rate of formation.

Table 1-4

**MISSOURI RIVER BANK EROSION LOSSES  
GARRISON DAM TO BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA**

| <u>Period</u>              | <u>Length<br/>of Time (years)</u> | <u>Total Erosion<br/>Loss (acres)</u> | <u>Erosion<br/>Average Loss<br/>(acres/year)</u> |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 1938-1946                  | 8.0                               | 1394                                  | 174  |
| 1946-1954                  | 8.0                               | 2167                                  | 271  |
| 1954-1958                  | 2.0                               | 215                                   | 108  |
| 1956-1958                  | 2.0                               | 183                                   | 92   |
| 1958-1960                  | 1.8                               | 192                                   | 106  |
| 1960-1964                  | 4.2                               | 355                                   | 85   |
| 1964-1968                  | 4.3                               | 271                                   | 63   |
| 1968-1972                  | 4.0                               | 265                                   | 66   |
| 1972-1975                  | 1.7                               | 134                                   | 79   |
| 1974-1975                  | 1.1                               | 76                                    | 69   |
| <u>Pre-Dam Conditions</u>  |                                   |                                       |  |
| 1938 - 1954                | 16.0                              | 3561                                  | 222  |
| <u>Post Dam Conditions</u> |                                   |                                       |  |
| 1954 - 1975                | 21.1                              | 1692                                  | 80   |

Table 1-5

**EROSION RATES WITH DISTANCE DOWNSTREAM FROM DAM  
GARRISON DAM TO LAKE OAKE (1966 - 1975)**

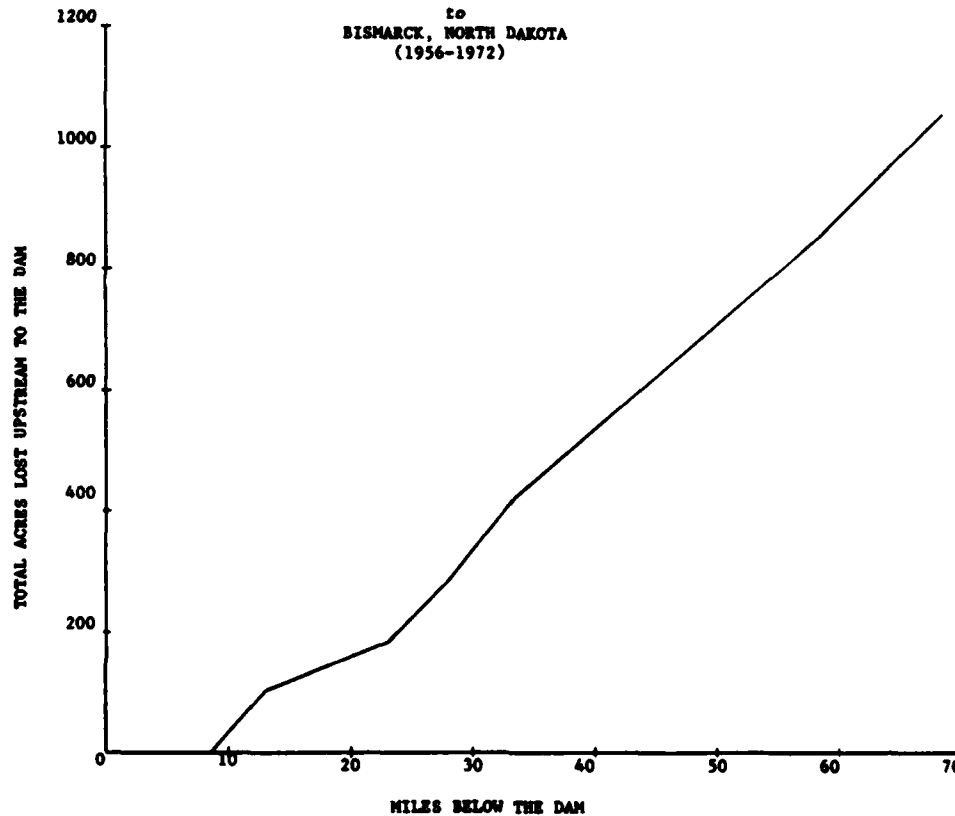
| <u>Miles Below Dam</u> | <u>Existing Power<br/>Peaking Fluctuations/Ft.</u> | <u>Erosion Rate<br/>(Acres/Mile/Year)</u> |
|------------------------|--|---|
| 0 - 20                 | 10.5 - 4.5   | 8.0                                       |
| 20 - 40                | 4.5 - 1.5  | 22.0                                      |
| 40 - 60                | 1.5 - 0.8  | 20.5                                      |
| 60 - 79                | 0.8 - 0.5  | 18.0                                      |

The acreage losses below Garrison Dam between 1956 and 1972 are shown in Figure 1-2.

FIGURE 1-2

AGREAGE LOSSES

GARRISON DAM  
to  
BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA  
(1956-1972)



g. Slope. The slope of the energy grade line averages approximately 0.75 feet per mile. Since the velocity head is usually small, the slopes of the channel bottoms, the water surface and the energy grade line are nearly equal. The slope varies with time, location and river stage from approximately 0.45 feet per mile below Bismarck to 0.85 feet per mile near Washburn.

h. Bank Soil Types. The upper bank soil types at the Eagle Park, Sandstone Bluff I and II and Lewis and Clark 4-H Camp are shown in Table 1-6.



**Table 1-6**  
**EVALUATION OF NEAR BANK SOILS**

| <u>Project Area</u>    | <u>River Mile</u> | <u>Soil Classification</u>  | <u>Atterberg Limits</u> |             | <u>Gradation % Finer Than Sieve</u> |            |            |
|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|
|                        |                   |                             | <u>L.L.</u>             | <u>P.I.</u> | <u>#200</u>                         | <u>#80</u> | <u>#40</u> |
| Eagle Park             | 1323.0            | Fat Clay, CH (Top Soil)     | 53                      | 33          |                                     |            |            |
|                        |                   | Silty Sand, SM (Bank Mat'l) | NP                      | WF          | 41                                  | 100        |            |
| Sandstone Bluff I & II | 1368.0            | Silty Sand, SM and          | NP                      | NP          |                                     |            |            |
|                        |                   | Sandy Silt, ML              | 27                      | 12          | 67                                  | 97         | 100        |
| Lewis & Clark 4-H Camp | 1357.5            | Fat Clay, CH (Topsoil)      | 61                      | 38          |                                     |            |            |
|                        |                   | Silty Sand, SM (Bank Mat'l) | NP                      | NP          | 30                                  | 91         | 100        |

1. Existing Erosion Protection. Approximately 24 percent of the channel length in the Garrison Dam to Lake Oahe reach of the Missouri River flows along sections of bluff contact which tend to stabilize the channel meander characteristics and reduce the overall streambank erosion rates. The locations of existing erosion control structures in this reach are shown in Table 1-7. These structures were constructed under other Federal Programs or are local self-help projects.

**Table 1-7**  
**EXISTING EROSION CONTROL PROTECTION**  
**(OTHER THAN SECTION 32 PROJECTS)**

| <u>River Mile (1960 Mileage)</u> | <u>Bank</u> |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 1372.5 to 1371.5                 | R           |
| 1371.5 to 1370.0                 | R           |
| 1365.0 to 1363.0                 | L           |
| 1365.0 to 1363.5                 | R           |
| 1362.3 to 1361.5                 | L           |
| 1361.5 to 1359.8                 | R           |
| 1351.5 to 1348.0                 | L           |
| 1351.5 to 1348.0                 | R           |
| 1332.5 to 1330.0                 | L           |
| 1332.5 to 1329.0                 | R           |
| 1329.0 to 1327.0                 | L           |
| 1329.0 to 1325.0                 | R           |

### III - DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

#### A. GENERAL

In keeping with the Streambank Erosion Control Evaluation and Demonstration Act of 1974, the salient feature of each demonstration project was the control of streambank erosion by the employment of river management techniques using a variety of structural bank protection measures in combinations appropriate for local river conditions. Typical structural elements considered for each test reach were revetments, earth core dikes, and artificial hardpoints, each discussed in detail in Section III B below. The general design considerations investigated for each demonstration site are described below. Critical technical factors affecting the structural design and stability included undercutting at the toe of the bank, weathering in the zone of stage variation, and ice action. Because of the control imposed by the Garrison Dam in this reach, it was unlikely that design stages would be exceeded, or would the protection works be damaged by frequent overtopping. The river stages experienced always remained below the top of existing high banks and varied between well defined limits.

1. FIELD CONDITIONS. The field conditions, listed below, are physical conditions which must be evaluated to permit development of structural designs that are equally functional, constructible, and environmentally acceptable.

- Channel location and alignment (main and secondary)
- Channel geometry (cross-section)
- Bar/island formation (location orientation, elevation, material)
- Near-bank flow conditions (depth, velocity)
- Bank height, configuration, materials
- High bank land use
- Riverbed and bank material types and conditions
- Stage-duration relationship (average daily and long-term probability)

- Tributary streams and surface runoff locations
- Groundwater seepage
- Potential wind/wave erosion
- Potential boat wake wave erosion
- Existing erosion controls (natural, manmade)
- Degradation projections

2. **CONSTRUCTIBILITY FACTORS.** Constructibility factors are those practical factors relative to actual construction materials, operations, and techniques which must be considered to assure optimum project economics and to minimize potential environmental impacts.

- a. Material sources (stone, earth, cobbles, gravel)
  - Quality
  - Quantity available
  - Location from project (haul distance)
  - Cost, at source (royalties, quarrying, gathering)
- b. Land access to structural locations
  - Haul road location and conditions
  - Near bank-conditions (height, soils, vegetation)
  - Mobilization and materials handling sites
- c. River access (floating plant construction)
  - River depths along project bankline
  - Near-bank conditions
  - Mobilization and material handling sites
  - River depths, distance, and alignment from project site to potential mobilization and material handling sites

3. **Engineering Objectives.** Engineering objectives are those goals established to provide perspective and scope to individual project formulation and design.

- Least-cost, multipurpose problem solutions
- Materials
- Construction techniques
- Structure type, location, and orientation

4. Environmental Objectives. These are environmental considerations taken into account in the formulation and general design of individual projects.

- Minimize woodland clearing or the disturbance of any other sensitive or unique habitat
- Protect important or critical habitat
- Avoid disturbance of endangered fish and wildlife species during construction
- Create desirable aquatic habitat with structure configuration or various types of structure materials
- Consider structure designs that improve pedestrian and wildlife access to the water's edge
- Preserve the natural appearance and aesthetics of the waterway conceal structures with topsoil and native vegetation; low profile structures are generally less noticeable
- Avoid destruction of or protect cultural resources as appropriate

#### B. BASIS OF DESIGN FOR EACH TYPE OF PROTECTION

Typical bank protection schemes considered for demonstration sites in the Garrison Dam to Lake Oahe reach of the Missouri River are shown on Plates 0-7, 0-8 and 0-9 and discussed in the following paragraphs.

The range of stone material application rates for structures constructed in this reach are as follows:

| <u>Structure Type</u>   | <u>Range of Stone Material<br/>Application Rates<br/>(Tons/Linear Foot)</u> |
|-------------------------|---|
| Reinforced Revetment    | 2.8 - 6.0   |
| Window Revetment        | 3.5 - 9.5   |
| Rehabilitated Revetment | 3.0 - 3.0   |
| Composite Revetment     | 2.8 - 4.9   |
| Bankline Revetment      | 3.0 - 3.0   |
| Window Refusal          | 4.4 - 7.3   |
| Hardpoint               | 6.1 - 10.3  |
| Dike                    | 8.2 - 8.6   |
| Tree Retard             | 0.2 - 0.2   |

1. **REVELEMENT**. Revetments consist of a facing of stone or other material placed adjacent and parallel to the bankline to protect against erosion. These structures are generally utilized where river flows are concentrated along the bank and where depths, bankline configuration or bankline conditions preclude the use of other methods.

Typical demonstration structure layouts intentionally leave 200 to 1,000 feet of unprotected bank between structure segments. The extent of interstructure erosion is limited by the prevailing water depth and velocity riverward of the structure alignment (the theoretical line connecting the riverward extremity of all the structures in the stream); the bank height and composition; and the structure spacing. As the river erodes into the bank, the flow path becomes larger since the water entering the erosion "bight" must return to the original bank location at the next downstream structure. Accordingly, the energy gradient becomes proportionally less as the size of the bight grows. Thus, at a given river stage (discharge) the bight ceases to grow when the velocity and eddy is no longer sufficient to remove material from the bank. The resulting configuration and cross section of the "stable" bank will remain stable as long as extended duration flows do not exceed the flow level which created that configuration.

Revetments in this river reach have three distinct zones in which stresses differ, and accordingly, the material requirements can be

varied. The toe zone is that portion of the structure below normal low-water, subject only to river current erosion. Material in this zone must be of sufficient size and quality to resist the erosive force of the river velocities continually flowing adjacent to it; and it must be of sufficient gradation and quantity to form a reasonably dense blanket over the slope, down to the depth of anticipated maximum scour to eliminate the possibility of fines being removed through the material. This material is seldom exposed to freeze-thaw or wet-dry action, or ice and debris movement. Accordingly, material of relatively inferior mechanical properties (weak, brittle, soft, etc.) should function adequately in this zone, if of sufficient size to resist movement by the flow.

The splash zone is that portion between the normal high-water and normal low-water. This is the zone of highest stress. The material is frequently exposed to wet-dry and freeze-thaw cycles, ice and debris movement, wave-wash, and erosive river currents. These stresses will generally require high quality stone; however, some combination of gravel, clay, filter cloth, etc., may be functional here.

The bank zone is that portion above normal high-water. Material in this zone is continually exposed to weathering, and periodically exposed to high stage erosion, wave-wash, ice and debris, and traffic by animals or man. It appears that a tough vegetation cover on a graded bank would be an optimum solution. However, types of vegetation and the minimum degree of grading to provide a durable, low-maintenance solution need development. In some cases, a stronger treatment may be necessary, such as gravel, clay, soil cement, etc. General revetment applications include variations of three basic designs, as field conditions, environmental, and cultural considerations dictate.

a. Windrow Revetment.

(1) The Windrow Revetment structure, shown on Plate 0-9, consists of a linear mound of stone placed on the ground, or partially

or totally buried in the overbank. The Windrow Revetment is placed immediately adjacent and parallel to the general alignment of the eroding bank. In theory, a minimum windrow is placed first and then the bank erodes, the stone is undercut, and sloughs down the bankline and blankets the new bank at a naturally established slope. Then stone material is added on an as-needed basis until equilibrium (i.e., a stable bank) is established. This provides a structure containing the least possible amount of stone, and accordingly, the least cost for a revetment-type structure. Variable factors that require evaluation include stone gradation, mound size and shape, minimum initial application rate, size and shape of the excavated trench, structural segment lengths and spacing, and an estimate of the ultimate depth of scour. The Windrow Revetment is an excellent technique in areas where river flows are unusually deep and swift along the toe of the bankline. This technique avoids the excessive quantity of material needed to effect a fill within the water area in such situations. However, the presence of improvements or heavy timber usually necessitates substitution of alternative techniques in areas otherwise suited to windrow revetment.

(2) Two types of windrow revetments are constructed. Type A consists of a stone fill placed in a notch excavated into the existing vertical riverbank. The exposed structure surface is covered or backfilled with excavated material. Type B consists of a stone fill placed in a trench excavated landward of the existing riverbank. The structure surface and the remainder of the trench is covered or backfilled with excavated material. Type A is used in areas where minimum clearing is required and requires a 10-foot bank height above the construction reference plane. Type B is generally used where the upper bank is clear of vegetation. There is no required bank height above the construction reference plane for Type B.

**b. Composite Revetment.**

(1) The Composite Revetment structure, shown on Plate 0-7, technique is used where flows are concentrated along the bankline, but

where depths or curvature precludes hardpoint systems and bankline or environmental conditions preclude windrow revetment. Composite revetment consists of a toe of erosion-resistant material, an upperbank treatment covering the zone of normal seasonal fluctuations, and a freeboard zone that is generally vegetated. Toe crown elevations are normally placed at the estimated low water elevations to reduce exposure to freeze-thaw and wet-dry cycles and thus permit the use of relatively low quality erosion-resistant material in the toe. Toe material is generally placed on the natural riverbed; however, minor excavation is accomplished whenever necessary to provide an adequate structural section.

(2) The upper bank treatment generally includes erosion resistant material placed in a configuration which best satisfies aesthetic, environmental, and economic criteria. Five variations of upper bank protection techniques for composite revetments have been demonstrated. One type consists of a simple uniform blanket of gravel over the stone toe. Another type consists of a blanket of cobbles and spalls or low-grade material over the stone toe. The third type consists of a blanket of gravel or cobbles and spalls extending from the riverward crown of the revetment toe up to the construction reference plane with vegetation placed from the construction reference plane to three feet above the construction reference plane. The vegetation consists of freshly cut willow or cottonwood saplings laid in random fashion overlapping each other to largely cover the excavated slope. Filter cloth over the graded upper bank armored by a layer of gravel or cobbles and spalls is another upper bank protection technique. The fifth technique consists of a layer of rolled clay placed on the graded upper bank covered by a thin layer of gravel.

c. Reinforced Revetment.

(1) Reinforced revetment, shown on Plate 0-8, consists of a toe of erosion-resistant material placed somewhat riverward of the



bankline in channel depths less than \_\_\_\_ feet within \_\_\_\_ feet of the highbank. The toe is then reinforced by intermittent stone-filled tiebacks, which are placed on the riverbank or in an excavated trench and extend landward from the toe to or into the riverbank. The toe fill material may either be high quality stone, low grade material, or both. The fill material used in the tieback is generally stone. The toe material is placed on the riverbed generally parallel to the natural bankline. The toe fill crown is generally constructed to the normal water surface elevation but may be lower. The stone tiebacks slope upward from the crown of the toefill to several feet above the normal water surface elevation at the existing bankline. Between tiebacks, the upper bank may be graded to fill in the voids between tiebacks, the bank, and the toe. The upper bank surface of reinforced revetment may be covered with either gravel or topsoil and seeded to satisfy aesthetic and environmental consideration.

(2) There are five different types of reinforced revetments. Type I is utilized in deep river conditions and can be used in high or low bank conditions. The cells between tiebacks, 20 feet in length, are backfilled with excavated material to the original ground surface. Type II is utilized when a sloping narrow underwater bench exists. The intermittent tiebacks are 25 feet in length and the upper bank is sloped as necessary to provide random fill between tiebacks. Type III is utilized in shallow river conditions with a wide underwater bench. The intermittent tiebacks are 40 feet in length. The upper bank is cut and sloped as necessary to provide random fill between tiebacks. Types II and III reinforced revetment have toe crowns that slope from the construction reference plane at the landward edge to two feet below the construction reference plane at the riverward edge. Type IV is utilized in shallow or deep river conditions where a narrow underwater bench exists. The intermittent tiebacks are 25 feet in length. Type IV does not require any back fill between tiebacks. Type V is used in shallow or deep river conditions with a wide underwater bench. The

intermittent tiebacks are 40 feet in length. Type V does not require any fill between tiebacks. Types IV and V reinforced revetment have toe crowns that are placed 2 feet below the construction reference plane.

2. **HARDPOINTS.** The hardpoint structure, shown on Plate 0-9, consists of two components: a short spur 30 to 50 feet long of erosion resistant material extending from the bank into the river; and a root of erosion-resistant material 30 to 50 feet long placed in a trench excavated landward from the bankline. Hardpoint systems are used when possible in lieu of revetment systems as a more economical measure and also to develop diversity in the aquatic and near-bank-environment. They are best utilized along relatively long convex-shaped or straight bankline increments having water depths of 5 to 10 feet. The first upstream hardpoint in multi- hardpoint systems may be of heavier section than the "shaded" downstream hardpoints, or all other hardpoints in the series. The crown width of the spur varies up to 10 feet maximum and is generally inversely proportional to water depth. This width may also reflect maintenance and access considerations. The crown elevation is generally at the normal water surface at the riverward end, and slopes up to varying elevations at the bankline, depending on bank height and root types. There are two basic root types: a deep "V" trench excavation for high banks and a wide, shallow trench for low banks. Spurs are angled  $10^{\circ}$ - $20^{\circ}$  downstream of the normal to the bankline and are designed to provide an adequate amount of material to withstand anticipated scour conditions.

3. **EARTH CORE DIKE.** The Earth Core Dike structure consists of a mounded sandfill dike extending riverward of the bankline protected on its upstream face by a stone toe and covered by a thin layer of rock. A stone-filled root is excavated into the bankline to prevent flanking of the structure. This dike may incorporate a specially designed flow control section to permit a limited flow through the

structure which would preserve or enhance downstream aquatic habitat. The structure serves to hold higher-velocity flows away from the erodible high bank, and may be curved downstream to produce a "shadow" effect; that is, erosion-producing flows may not return to the bankline for some distance downstream of the earth core dike terminus. These dikes are generally constructed at a time when shallow water areas exist and where immediately available earth or sand can be borrowed to construct the fill.

4. WINDROW REFUSAL. A windrow refusal is usually constructed at the upstream end of each revetment segment to prevent flanking of the revetment as the interstructure bight develops and flow concentrations return to the original bank location. Each refusal generally consists of erosion-resistant material placed in a 30 to 100 foot trench excavated landward from the bankline. Refusals are usually angled 10° - 20° downstream of the normal to the bankline, depending upon local bankline conditions.

5. TREE RETARDS. Tree retards consist of locally available trees placed horizontally in the river and perpendicular to the bank at a designed spacing. Each tree retard unit will generally consist of two trees, each 30 to 40 feet in length, spaced approximately 100 feet apart. The trees will be anchored well below the water level by cable and 55-gallon concrete filled drums. A small stone root will anchor and protect the landward end of each retard. It will consist of a trench excavated, as necessary, from the riverbed to a point about 5 feet into the high bank, and backfilled with stone after the tree trunks have been placed in it. Horizontal stability will be provided by a cable stringer extending downstream from anchors buried in the bank.

The function of the tree retard is to provide a partial screening of the bank and with the passage of time the branched portion of the

trees should catch debris and sediment. Eventually small bars should form in the gaps between the tree retard units.

Environmentally, the tree retard system offers several advantages to more conventional approaches. Trees that fall into a river are a natural erosion protection system. However, this is a temporary condition due to flow fluctuations and ice. The anchored tree retard system is a minor improvement over naturally fallen trees. Very minimum clearing would be required in the construction of the tree retard system. The trees also create excellent fish habitat.

6. SPECIAL CONTRACT PROVISIONS. Bidding schedules, plans, and specifications advertised for each demonstration project contained options for allowing the bidder to utilize low grade material in all structures specified in the construction schedule as "Stone or Low Grade Material" or to utilize all high quality stone in these structures. The low bid for utilization of stone and low grade material was accepted unless the low bid for utilization of all stone did not exceed the stone and low grade material low bid by a predetermined percentage. This percentage was based on District bid experience for similar contracts and an engineering determination of the premium worth of construction utilizing high quality materials exclusively, and varied from contract to contract.

Stone, as specified for the contracts in this reach, was defined as durable material meeting specified acceptability levels based on service records and laboratory tests, such as petrographic analysis, specific gravity, absorption, wetting and drying, soundness in magnesium sulfate, and freezing and thawing. Gradations were determined by field conditions or experimental considerations. Neither the breadth nor the thickness of any piece of stone shall be less than one-third of its length. Stone shall be reasonably well-graded from coarse to fine. Dirt and fines of less than  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch maximum cross section accumulated

from interledge layers or from blasting or handling operations shall not exceed 5 percent by weight. Acceptance testing of field boulders for compliance with quality requirements was not required.

Low grade materials, such as softer sandstones, limestone or chalk, were suitable for utilization to provide the bulk necessary in the toe of revetments and the core of hardpoints, provided laboratory testing, field tests, and service records demonstrated minimum acceptability within the specifications. Stone requirements were specified only by minimum specific gravity, a maximum allowable absorption and loss after a reasonable period of immersion, a liberal gradation range, and a requirement that it be obtained from the source and placed in the structure without excessive deterioration or mechanical breakdown.

Gravels, cobbles, and spalls used to provide an upper bank treatment are specified as tough, durable particles reasonably free from flat, thin, and elongated pieces, and containing no objectionable quantities of soft, friable materials or organic matter. Gradation limits may be liberal to promote trial of locally available material and possibly material from the channel bed in the vicinity of the structures utilizing gravel. Gradations specified at each demonstration site in this reach are discussed in Section C.

### C. CONSTRUCTION DETAILS AT EACH DEMONSTRATION PROJECT

1. SANDSTONE BLUFF PARTS I AND II PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plates 4-1 and 4-2. The demonstration project consists of 32 segments of reinforced revetment totalling 9,300 linear feet, 500 linear feet of windrow revetment, 32 windrow refusals for a total length of 1665 linear feet, and 5 hardpoint structures totalling 579 linear feet. Typical sections of the structure types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2 and 1-3. Two reinforced revetments are Type I and consist of the "toe" fill (stone or low grade material) placed adjacent to the high bank, and the "tieback" stone fills placed in trenches excavated into the high bank. Twenty-seven reinforced revetments are Type II and consist of toe fill (stone or low grade material) placed a short distance riverward of the high bank; stone fill tiebacks, extending from the toe fill crown to or into the high bank; and cut/fill slopes between and landward of the tiebacks, which form the lower, upper and highback bank zones. Three reinforced revetments are Type III and consist of all provisions applicable to reinforced Type II, revetment except that tiebacks are 40 feet long. The average stone material application rates for this project area are shown in Table 1-8.

Table 1-8

#### AVERAGE STONE MATERIAL APPLICATION RATES

| <u>Structure Rate</u> | <u>Average Stone Material<br/>Application Rate<br/>(Tons/Linear Foot)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.7   |
| Windrow Revetment     | 4.5   |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.3   |
| Hardpoints            | 6.1   |

Table 1-11 provides a construction program for the Sandstone Bluff Parts I and II project which includes material quantities and costs by structure. Tables 1-9 and 1-10 display the specific stone gradations.

Table 1-9

**STONE GRADATION FOR REINFORCED REVETMENT  
TIERACKS AND WINDROW REVETMENT**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|---------------------------------|--|
| 200 lbs                         | 100  |
| 50 lbs                          | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                   | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-10

**STONE GRADATION FOR REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|---------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                         | 100  |
| 165 lbs                         | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                   | 0 - 15   |

The stone material used in the construction of this project was required to meet the following standards: bulk specific gravity, saturated surface dry basis, Method CRD-C 107-69, required not less than 2.40; soundness in magnesium sulfate, ASTM Standard C88-76, required a loss of 5 cycles of not more than 12 percent; and soundness in freezing and thawing, AASHTO Designation T103-62, required a loss at 12 cycles not to exceed 10 percent.

Typical photographs of reinforced revetment at the Sandstone Bluff Area are shown on Photos 1, 2, and 3. Photos 4 and 5 show hardpoint structures.

Table 1-11  
SANDSTONE BLUFF I AND II CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

| Structure*     | Type* | Total Length (Ft.) | Date<br>Start End | Total<br>Stems (tons) | Total<br>Exc (CU) | Total<br>Gravel (tons) | Other | Total<br>Cost | Cost/ft.<br>of Structure |
|----------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 1369.31        | WRF   | 100                | 11/78             | 611                   | 539               |                        |       | 8,599.41      | 85.99                    |
| 1369.3         |       |                    |                   |                       |                   |                        |       |               |                          |
| 3+00 to 14+00  | RR    | 350                | 11/78             | 1966                  | 1476              | 1:7                    |       | 28,423.46     | 81.21                    |
| 5+50 to 9+50   | RR    | 400                | 11/78             | 2399                  | 1061              | 166                    |       | 33,513.69     | 83.28                    |
| 11+50 to 13+50 | RR    | 200                | 11/78             | 1210                  | 289               | 84                     |       | 16,513.10     | 81.57                    |
| 15+50 to 17+50 | RR    | 200                | 11/78             | 1254                  | 259               | 87                     |       | 16,824.74     | 84.12                    |
| 20+00 to 24+00 | RR    | 400                | 11/78             | 2112                  | 572               | 169                    |       | 28,832.72     | 72.08                    |
| 26+00 to 30+00 | RR    | 400                | 11/78             | 2219                  | 475               | 171                    |       | 29,975.89     | 74.94                    |
| 33+00 to 36+00 | RR    | 300                | 11/78             | 1578                  | 925               | 127                    |       | 22,545.18     | 75.15                    |
| 37+50 to 40+50 | RR    | 300                | 11/78             | 1577                  | 589               | 129                    |       | 21,880.87     | 72.94                    |
| 1369.2         | WRF   | 48                 | 11/78             | 306                   | 295               |                        |       | 4,356.86      | 90.77                    |
| 1369.1         | WRF   | 50                 | 11/78             | 321                   | 272               |                        |       | 4,495.51      | 89.91                    |
| 1369.0         | WRF   | 50                 | 11/78             | 302                   | 286               |                        |       | 4,289.62      | 85.79                    |
| 1368.9         | WRF   | 50                 | 11/78             | 390                   | 267               |                        |       | 5,314.90      | 106.70                   |
| 1368.8         | WRF   | 50                 | 11/78             | 302                   | 267               |                        |       | 4,251.62      | 85.03                    |
| 1368.75        | WRF   | 50                 | 11/78             | 301                   | 267               |                        |       | 4,219.31      | 84.79                    |
| 1368.7         | WRF   | 50                 | 11/78             | 302                   | 267               |                        |       | 4,251.62      | 85.03                    |
| 1368.61        | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 308                   | 265               |                        |       | 4,351.48      | 86.43                    |
| 1368.6         |       |                    |                   |                       |                   |                        |       |               |                          |
| 0+00 to 1+50   | RR    | 150                | 8/78              | 824                   | 416               | 72                     |       | 11,695.44     | 77.97                    |
| 3+00 to 4+50   | RR    | 150                | 8/78              | 824                   | 434               | 73                     |       | 11,741.44     | 78.28                    |
| 6+00 to 9+00   | RR    | 300                | 8/78              | 1897                  | 1124              | 192                    |       | 27,520.07     | 91.73                    |
| 11+00 to 13+00 | RR    | 200                | 8/78              | 1135                  | 652               | 142                    |       | 16,695.85     | 83.48                    |
| 15+00 to 16+50 | RR    | 150                | 8/78              | 837                   | 775               | 104                    |       | 12,893.47     | 85.96                    |
| 18+00 to 19+50 | RR    | 150                | 8/78              | 831                   | 113               | 61                     |       | 11,065.61     | 73.77                    |
| 21+00 to 24+00 | RR    | 300                | 8/78              | 1576                  | 758               | 130                    |       | 22,216.56     | 74.06                    |
| 27+00 to 31+00 | RR    | 400                | 8/78              | 2273                  | 1064              | 172                    |       | 31,828.63     | 79.57                    |
| 35+00 to 40+00 | RR    | 500                | 8/78              | 3028                  | 996               | 154                    |       | 40,806.68     | 81.61                    |
| 43+00 to 48+00 | RR    | 500                | 8/78              | 3143                  | 1085              | 150                    |       | 42,360.33     | 84.72                    |
| 51+00 to 53+50 | RR    | 250                | 8/78              | 1453                  | 1554              | 109                    |       | 22,084.43     | 88.34                    |
| 56+00 to 58+00 | RR    | 200                | 8/78              | 1209                  | 1083              | 69                     |       | 17,718.79     | 89.69                    |
| 1368.5         | WRF   | 30                 | 8/78              | 184                   | 161               |                        |       | 2,587.04      | 86.23                    |
| 1368.4         | WRF   | 30                 | 8/78              | 180                   | 156               |                        |       | 2,527.80      | 84.26                    |
| 1368.3         | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 314                   | 271               |                        |       | 4,407.34      | 88.15                    |
| 1368.2         | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 300                   | 280               |                        |       | 4,253.00      | 85.06                    |
| 1368.1         | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 306                   | 278               |                        |       | 4,322.86      | 86.46                    |
| 1368.0         | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 303                   | 269               |                        |       | 4,267.93      | 85.36                    |
| 1367.8         | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 351                   | 269               |                        |       | 4,858.81      | 97.18                    |
| 1367.7         | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 304                   | 304               |                        |       | 3,742.24      | 74.84                    |
| 1367.6         | WRF   | 50                 | 8/78              | 302                   | 290               |                        |       | 4,297.62      | 85.95                    |
| 1367.5         | WRF   | 36                 | 8/78              | 307                   | 268               |                        |       | 4,315.17      | 119.87                   |
| 1367.4         | WRF   | 50                 | 9/78              | 302                   | 267               |                        |       | 4,251.62      | 85.03                    |



Table 1-11 contd.  
**SANDSTONE BLUFF I AND II CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM**

| Structure <sup>a</sup>         | Type <sup>a</sup> | Total Length (Ft.) | Start | End   | Total Stone (tons) | Total Exc (CY) | Total Gravel (tons) | Other | Total Cost | Cost/ft. of Structure |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------|-------|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|-------|------------|-----------------------|
| 1367.31                        | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 295                | 267            |                     |       | 4,105.45   | 83.31                 |
| 1367.3                         |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            |                       |
| 0+00 to 2+00                   | RR                | 200                | 8/78  | 10/78 | 1229               | 924            |                     |       | 16,976.99  | 84.88                 |
| 4+00 to 6+00                   | RR                | 200                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 1260               | 895            | 183                 |       | 19,110.60  | 95.65                 |
| 8+00 to 12+00                  | RR                | 400                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 2495               | 1960           | 181                 |       | 36,443.45  | 91.11                 |
| 16+00 to 19+00                 | RR                | 300                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 1588               | 1281           | 127                 |       | 23,330.28  | 77.93                 |
| 22+00 to 24+00                 | RR                | 200                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 1064               | 876            | 86                  |       | 15,719.84  | 78.55                 |
| 1367.2                         | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 300                | 269            |                     |       | 4,231.00   | 84.62                 |
| 1367.1                         | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 305                | 267            |                     |       | 4,288.55   | 85.77                 |
| 1367.0                         | WRF               | 40                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 303                | 318            |                     |       | 4,305.93   | 109.15                |
| 1366.9                         | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 300                | 268            |                     |       | 4,239.00   | 84.58                 |
| 1366.8                         | HP                | 153                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 601                | 577            |                     |       | 8,512.31   | 55.90                 |
| 1366.71                        | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 299                | 267            |                     |       | 4,214.69   | 84.29                 |
| 1366.7                         |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            |                       |
| 0+00 to 1+50                   | RR                | 150                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 915                | 646            | 66                  |       | 13,215.65  | 88.10                 |
| 3+00 to 7+00                   | RR                | 400                | 9/78  | 11/78 | 2095               | 2289           | 172                 |       | 32,087.45  | 80.22                 |
| 10+00 to 12+50                 | RR                | 250                | 9/78  | 11/78 | 1534               | 1278           | 105                 |       | 22,489.54  | 89.96                 |
| 14+00 to 17+00                 | RR                | 300                | 9/78  | 11/78 | 1576               | 1382           | 128                 |       | 23,444.56  | 78.15                 |
| 1366.6                         | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 302                | 281            |                     |       | 4,279.62   | 85.59                 |
| 1366.5                         | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 602                | 267            |                     |       | 7,944.62   | 158.89                |
| 1366.41                        | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 304                | 268            |                     |       | 4,278.24   | 85.56                 |
| 1366.4                         | HP                | 105                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 608                | 385            | 26                  |       | 8,514.48   | 81.09                 |
| 1366.3                         | HP                | 112                | 9/78  | 10/78 | 606                | 409            | 35                  |       | 8,627.86   | 77.03                 |
| 1366.21                        | WRF               | 50                 | 9/78  | 10/78 | 307                | 282            |                     |       | 4,343.17   | 86.86                 |
| 1366.2                         | WRF               | 500                | 9/78  | 11/78 | 2243               | 2000           |                     |       | 31,611.33  | 63.22                 |
| 1366.11                        | WRF               | 75                 | 10/78 | 11/78 | 452                | 428            |                     |       | 6,420.12   | 85.60                 |
| 1366.1                         |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            |                       |
| 0+00 to 5+00                   | RR                | 500                | 10/78 | 12/78 | 2742               | 2498           | 213                 |       | 40,880.02  | 81.76                 |
| 7+50 to 10+50                  | RR                | 300                | 10/78 | 12/78 | 1621               | 1277           | 124                 |       | 23,748.51  | 79.16                 |
| 1365.9                         | WRF               | 58                 | 10/78 | 11/78 | 300                | 266            |                     |       | 4,225.00   | 72.84                 |
| 1365.8                         | HP                | 103                | 10/78 | 11/78 | 605                | 500            | 16                  |       | 8,607.55   | 83.57                 |
| 1365.7                         | HP                | 106                | 10/78 | 11/78 | 601                | 701            | 16                  |       | 8,900.31   | 84.53                 |
| 1365.61                        | WRF               | 48                 | 10/78 | 11/78 | 302                | 257            |                     |       | 4,211.62   | 88.16                 |
| 1365.6                         | RR                | 300                | 10/78 | 12/78 | 1514               | 1025           | 99                  |       | 21,677.34  | 72.26                 |
| SUBTOTAL                       |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            |                       |
| Clearing and Grubbing          |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            | \$ 980,000.00         |
| Seeding                        |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            | 15,000.00             |
| Monitoring & Evaluation        |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            | 2,000.00              |
| Engineering and Design         |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            | 36,000.00             |
| Supervision and Administration |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            | 39,000.00             |
| TOTAL COST                     |                   |                    |       |       |                    |                |                     |       |            | \$1,128,000.00        |

<sup>a</sup>WRF = Windrow Refusal, RR = Reinforced Retement, HP = Hardpoints



Photo 1. Reinforced Revetment 1368.6, Station 35+00 to 40+00,  
approximately 13 months after completion.  
(Photo taken July 1979)



Photo 2. Reinforced Revetment 1368.6, Station 43+00 to 48+00,  
approximately 13 months after completion.  
(Photo taken July 1979)

Sandstone Bluff Area  
Photos 1 and 2



Photo 3. Reinforced Revetment 1366.7, Station 3+00 to 7+00,  
approximately 9 months after completion.

Sandstone Bluff Area  
Photo 3



Photo 4. Hardpoint 1366.8, approximately 9 months after completion.  
(Photo taken July 1979)



Photo 5. Hardpoints 1366.4 and 1366.3. (Photo taken July 1979)

Sandstone Bluff Area  
Photos 4 and 5

2. LEWIS AND CLARK 4-H CAMP PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 6-1. The demonstration project consists of approximately 2,350 linear feet of reinforced revetment in three segments, three 50 linear feet of windrow refusal, and three hardpoint structures totalling 180 linear feet. The reinforced revetments are Type I, II, and III, which are described in more detail in Section III, paragraph B.I.C. Table 1-15 provides a construction program which includes material quantities and costs by structure. The average stone material application rate for each structure type is shown in Table 1-12. Table 1-13 and 1-14 display the specific stone gradations for the various structural components.

Table 1-12

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Material<br/>Application Rate<br/>(Tons/Linear Foot)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.2   |
| Windrow Refusals      | 7.3   |
| Hardpoints            | 10.3  |

Table 1-13

STONE GRADATION FOR REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS,  
WINDROW REFUSAL AND HARDPOINT UPPER PAVING FILL AND ROOT

| <u>Weight Per Price</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------|--|
| 200 lbs                 | 100  |
| 50 lbs                  | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen           | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-14

STONE GRADATION FOR REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE, AND  
HARDPOINT CORE

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Piece</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

The stone material used in the construction of this project was required to meet the following standards: bulk specific gravity, saturated surface dry basis, Method CRD-C 107-69, required not less than 2.40. Soundness in magnesium sulfate, ASTM Standard C88-76, required a loss of 5 cycles of not more than 12 percent; and soundness in freezing and thawing for ledge rock, Method Modified Designation T103-62, required a loss at 12 cycles not to exceed 10 percent.

Photographs of typical reinforced revetment structures at the Lewis & Clark 4-H Camp Area are shown on Photos 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10. Photos 11 and 12 show hardpoint structures.

Table 1-15  
LEWIS AND CLARK 4-H CAMP CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

| Structure <sup>a</sup>         | Type <sup>a</sup> | Total Length (Ft) | Start | Date<br>End | Total<br>Stones (tons) | Total<br>Exc (CY) | Total<br>Gravel (tons) | Total<br>Cost | Cost/ft.<br>of Structure |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------|-------------|------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 1357.91                        | WRP               | 50                | 9/78  | 11/78       | 293                    | 416               |                        | 4,411.59      | 88.23                    |
| 1357.90                        | RR                | 600               | 9/78  | 11/78       | 3055                   | 2407              | 285                    | 45,533.10     | 75.89                    |
| 1357.74                        | WRP               | 50                | 9/78  | 11/78       | 311                    | 420               |                        | 4,642.73      | 92.85                    |
| 1357.73                        | RR                | 750               | 9/78  | 11/78       | 4045                   | 1889              | 410                    | 58,243.00     | 77.66                    |
| 1356.89                        | RP                | 60                | 9/78  | 11/78       | 637                    | 190               | 12                     | 8,400.21      | 140.00                   |
| 1356.84                        | RP                | 60                | 9/78  | 11/78       | 711                    | 174               | 11                     | 9,279.53      | 154.66                   |
| 1356.79                        | RP                | 60                | 9/78  | 11/78       | 509                    | 158               | 13                     | 6,760.87      | 112.68                   |
| 1356.75                        | WRP               | 50                | 9/78  | 11/78       | 487                    | 100               |                        | 6,238.41      | 124.77                   |
| 1356.74                        | RR                | 1000              | 9/78  | 11/78       | 5019                   | 3833              | 496                    | 74,883.62     | 74.88                    |
| Subtotal                       |                   |                   |       |             |                        |                   |                        |               | 218,393                  |
| Clearing and Grubbing          |                   |                   |       |             |                        |                   |                        |               | 8,000                    |
| Seeding                        |                   |                   |       |             |                        |                   |                        |               | 2,500                    |
| Monitoring                     |                   |                   |       |             |                        |                   |                        |               | 17,000                   |
| Supervision and Administration |                   |                   |       |             |                        |                   |                        |               | 14,000                   |
| Engineering and Design         |                   |                   |       |             |                        |                   |                        |               | 18,000                   |
| TOTAL COST                     |                   |                   |       |             |                        |                   |                        |               | \$278,000                |

<sup>a</sup>WRP - Windrow Refusal; RR - Reinforced Revetment, RP - Hardpoints



Photo 6. Reinforced Revetment 1357.50, prior to construction.  
(Photo taken 15 September 1978)

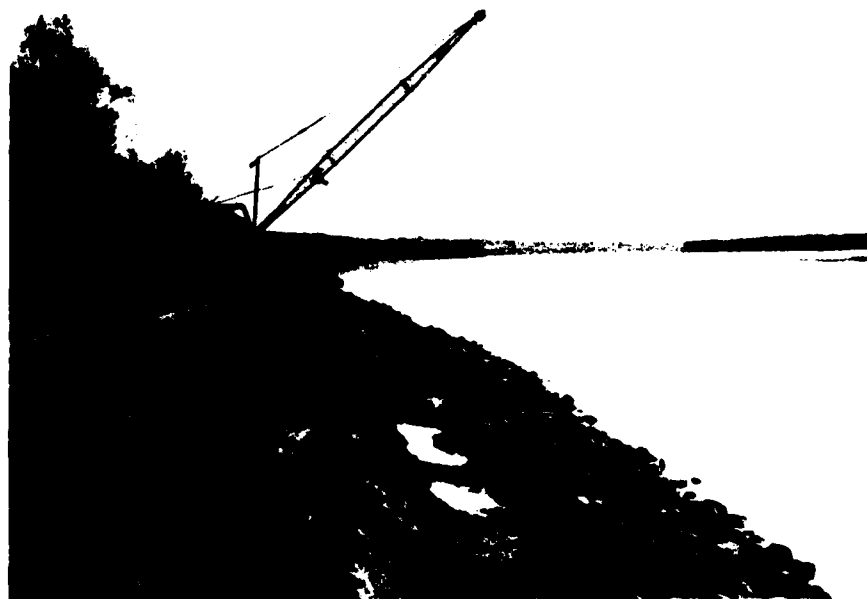


Photo 7. Placement of rock toe on Revetment 1357.50 (Photo taken  
15 September 1978)

Lewis & Clark 4H Camp Area  
Photos 6 and 7





Photo 8. Reinforced Revetment 1357.73, approximately 8 months after completion. (Photo taken 22 August 1979)



Photo 9. Downstream portion of Reinforced Revetment 1357.73 approximately 8 months after completion. (Photo taken 22 August 1979)

Lewis & Clark 4H Camp Area  
Photos 8 and 9



Photo 10. Reinforced Revetment 1357.73, approximately 9 months after completion.  
(Photo taken 15 September 1979)



Photo 11. Hardpoint 1356.84, approximately 8 months after completion.  
(Photo taken July 1979).

Lewis & Clark 4H Camp Area  
Photos 10 and 11



Photo 12. Hardpoints 1356.89, 1356.84, and 1356.79 approximately 10 months after completion. (Photo taken September 1979)

Lewis & Clark 4H Camp Area  
Photo 12

3. SANGER PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 7-1. The demonstration project consists of approximately 1,500 linear feet of earth core dike. An environmental notch is incorporated into the structure to allow a small amount of water to flow behind the structure for environmental enhancement. Typical sections of the structure are shown on Plates 7-2 and 7-3. Revetment facing for the earth core dike consists of four types with two variations of the upper bank treatment for Types A and C, as shown on Plate 7-2.

Table 1-18 indicates the construction program which includes material quantities and costs by structure. Table 1-16 and 1-17 displays the specified stone gradations.

Table 1-16

STONE FOR UPPER SEGMENTS OF EARTH CORE DIKE

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-17

STONE FOR TOE REVETMENT OF EARTH CORE DIKE

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

During and after construction photographs of Earth Core Dike 1345.5 are shown on Photos 13 through 18.

Table 1-18  
**SANGER CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM**

| Structure <sup>a</sup>         | Type <sup>a</sup> | Total Length (Ft.) | Date<br>Start      End | Total<br>Stone (tons) | Total<br>Exc (CY) | Total<br>Gravel (tons) | Other                   | Total<br>Cost | Cost/ft.<br>of Structure |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 1345.5                         | Dike              |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               |                          |
| 0+50 to 0+50                   |                   | 100                | 9/20/79                | 11/19/79              | 330               | -                      | -                       | 4,224.00      | 42.24                    |
| 0+50 to 5+50                   |                   | 500                | 9/20/79                | 11/19/79              | 3830              | -                      | 10,975 CY Emb           | 101,137.75    | 202.28                   |
| 5+50                           | Env. Gap          |                    | 9/20/79                | 11/19/79              | 1130              | -                      | 195 CY Emb<br>435 SY FC | 17,782.25     |                          |
| 5+50 to 14+50                  |                   | 900                | 9/20/79                | 11/19/79              | 6429              | -                      | 9,280 CY Emb            | 128,996.70    | 143.33                   |
| 14+50 to 15+00                 |                   | 50                 | 9/20/79                | 11/19/79              | 1000              | -                      | 1,094 CY Emb            | 18,118.40     | 362.37                   |
| SUBTOTAL                       |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               |                          |
| Clearing and Grubbing          |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | \$270,300.00             |
| Seeding                        |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | 3,300.00                 |
| Monitoring & Evaluation        |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | 23,500.00                |
| Relocate Borrow Site           |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | 25,000.00                |
| Supervision and Administration |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | 11,600.00                |
| Engineering and Design         |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | 15,000.00                |
|                                |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | <u>27,000.00</u>         |
| TOTAL COST                     |                   |                    |                        |                       |                   |                        |                         |               | \$376,000.00             |



Photo 13. Aerial View of Earth Core Dike 1345.5 loading downstream (Photo taken 15 April 1980)



Photo 14. Construction View of Earth Core Dike 1345.5 loading downstream (Photo taken 4 October 1979)

Sanger Area  
Photos 13 and 14



Photo 15. Earth Core Dike 1345.5 immediately after completion and prior to planting of crown vegetation. (Photo taken 16 November 1979)

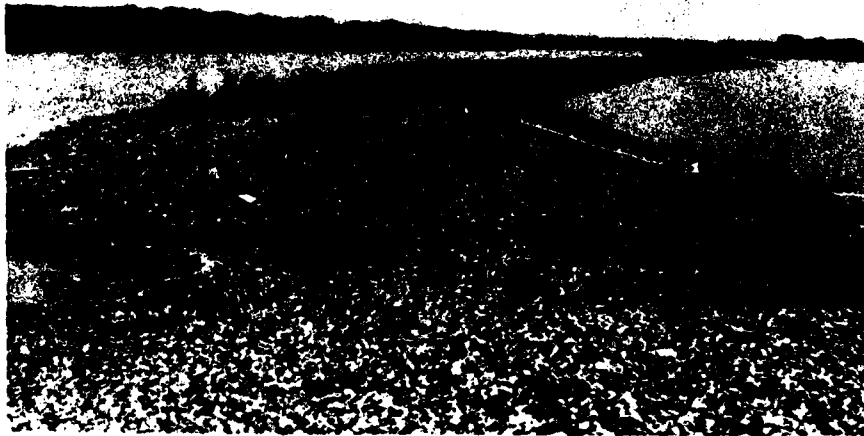


Photo 16. Environmental notch in foreground and downstream portion of earth core dike. The vegetation on the dike was planted in May 1980, two months before this photograph was taken. (Photo taken 17 July 1980)

Sanger Area  
Photos 15 and 16



Photo 17. Looking downstream along downstream side of earth core. Dike 1345.5, 2 months after vegetation planting in May 1980



Photo 18. Looking upstream along upstream side of Earth Core Dike 1345.5, 2 months after vegetation planting in May 1980. (Photo taken 17 July 1980)

Sanger Area  
Photos 17 and 18



4. EAGLE PARK PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 13-1. The initial demonstration area consisted of approximately 2½ miles of bankline protected by 2,200 linear feet of composite revetment in three segments, 2,200 linear feet of windrow revetment in five segments, eight windrow stonefill refusals with a total of 650 linear feet, 800 linear feet of tree retards in two segments, and 7 hardpoint structures totaling 540 linear feet. The project required several modifications to the original contract to correct severe erosion problems located in the project area. These modifications resulted in the additional construction of 2350 linear feet of bankline revetment, five windrow stone fill refusals with a total of 250 linear feet and 6 hardpoint structures totalling 540 linear feet. Reconstruction was required in 1,320 linear feet of windrow revetment, 300 linear feet of composite revetment, 150 linear feet of windrow refusal and 2 hardpoint structures. The 800 linear feet of tree retards were destroyed by ice and replaced by two hardpoint structures. More detail concerning the reconstruction are discussed in the Reconstruction portion of this appendix, Section IV, paragraph C.

Typical sections of the structure types used in this project are shown on Plate 13-2. One composite revetment is Type A and consists of a uniform blanket of gravel placed on a IV to 3H slope. Three composite revetments are Type B and consist of a blanket of upper bank paving of stone, cobbles, spalls or low-grade material, placed on a IV to 2H slope. Three composite revetments are Type D and consist of a filter cloth, such as Mirafi 140 or equivalent, placed on a IV to 3H slope and anchored and armored by a 6-inch (minimum) layer of gravel, cobbles or spalls. One composite revetment is Type E and consists of a layer of stone (3 feet below CRP) up to 3 feet above CRP at a slope of IV to 3H. The stone fill refusal consists of stone fill to the same section indicated for Windrow Revetment, Type I. The windrow revetment are Type I and Type II, which are described in detail in Section III.B. paragraph 1.c., and shown on Plate 13-2. The average stone material

application rate for each structure constructed at Eagle Park is shown in Table 1-19.

Table 1-19

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Material<br/>Application Rate<br/>(tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|
| Composite Revetment   | 4.3   |
| Windrow Revetment     | 9.5   |
| Windrow Refusal       | 4.7   |
| Bankline Revetment    | 3.0   |
| Tree Retards          | 0.2   |
| Hardpoints            | 8.9   |

Table 1-21 provides a construction program of the Eagle Park project area which includes material quantities and costs by structure. Table 1-20 displays the specific stone and gravel gradations. Stone used in the project construction was required to meet the following standards bulk specific gravity, saturated surface dry basis, Method CRD-C107-69, required not less than 2.40; soundness in magnesium sulfate, ASTM Standard C88-73, required a loss at 5 cycles of not more than 12 percent; soundness in freezing and thawing, AASHTO Designation T103-42, required a loss at 12 cycles not to exceed 10 percent.

Table 1-20

STONE AND GRAVEL GRADATIONS  
SMALL STONE GRADATION

| <u>Weight Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------|--|
| 200 lbs                 | 100  |
| 50 lbs                  | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen           | 0 - 15   |

LARGE STONE GRADATION

| <u>Weight Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                 | 100  |
| 165 lbs                 | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen           | 0 - 15   |

Before, during, and after construction photographs at the Eagle Park Area are shown on Photos 19 through 25. Hardpoint systems are shown in Photo 16. Tree retards, during and after construction, are shown in Photos 27 and 28.

Table 1-21  
EAGLE PARK CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

| Structure No. | Type* | Total Length (ft) | Start    | End      | Total Stone (cu yd) | Total LCM (cu yd) | Total Exc (cu yd) | Total Gravel (cu yd) | Other              | Total Cost | Cost/ft. of Structure |
|---------------|-------|-------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------------------|
| 1324.51       | WBF   | 30                | 11/4/77  | 11/4/77  | 100                 |                   | 179               |                      |                    | 2,220.85   | 74.02                 |
| 1324.5        |       |                   |          |          |                     |                   |                   |                      |                    |            |                       |
| 8+00-4+00     | BR    | 400               | 11/2/77  | 11/3/77  | 1000                |                   | 516               |                      | 60 T. CAS          | 11,212.60  | 28.03                 |
| 8+00-1+10     | BR    | 110               | 8/16/78  | 8/16/78  |                     |                   |                   |                      | 1300 CY Emb        | 720.00     | 6.55                  |
| 4+00-4+50     | BR    | 250               | 8/1/78   | 8/10/78  | 900                 |                   |                   |                      | 130 T. CAS         | 13,615.00  | 54.46                 |
| 6+50-8+50     | BR    | 200               | 11/4/77  | 11/10/77 | 1015                |                   | 298               |                      |                    | 10,850.30  | 54.25                 |
| 8+50-9+50     | BR    | 40                | 8/4/78   | 8/11/78  | 200                 |                   |                   |                      | 250 CY Emb         | 2,947.50   | 73.69                 |
| 10+45-11+45   | BR    | 100               | 8/14/78  | 8/15/78  | 600                 |                   | 72                |                      | 30 T. CAS          | 6,189.20   | 61.89                 |
| 1324.32       | WBF   | 20                | 8/3/78   | 8/3/78   | 79                  |                   |                   |                      |                    | 790.00     | 39.50                 |
| 1324.3        | WP    | 60                | 10/21/77 | 10/28/77 | 290                 |                   | 148               |                      |                    | 3,247.80   | 54.13                 |
| 1324.2        | WP    | 80                | 8/27/77  | 9/2/77   | 521                 |                   | 301               |                      |                    | 5,917.85   | 73.97                 |
| 1324.19       |       |                   |          |          |                     |                   |                   |                      |                    |            |                       |
| 8+00-4+00     | TR    | 400               | 8/20/77  | 9/3/77   | 103                 |                   | 325               |                      | 9 tree elements    | 5,693.75   | 14.23                 |
| 12+00-16+00   | TR    | 400               | 8/29/77  | 8/29/77  | 58                  |                   | 209               |                      | 1 deadman          | 3,571.15   | 8.93                  |
| 1324.0        | WP    | 60                | 8/29/77  | 9/1/77   | 487                 |                   | 111               |                      | 5 tree elements    | 5,130.85   | 85.51                 |
| 1323.81       | WBF   | 100               | 4/21/77  | 5/16/77  | 451                 |                   | 438               |                      | 1 deadman          | 5,539.30   | 55.39                 |
| 1323.8        |       |                   |          |          |                     |                   |                   |                      |                    |            |                       |
| 8+00-4+40     | WR    | 440               | 4/15/77  | 4/20/77  | 1926                |                   | 1391              |                      |                    | 20,603.85  | 46.83                 |
| 6+40-10+00    | WR    | 440               | 4/15/77  | 4/21/77  | 1277                |                   | 901               |                      |                    | 13,787.35  | 31.33                 |
| 12+00-17+20   | WR    | 440               | 5/24/77  | 6/10/77  | 1925                |                   | 1406              |                      |                    | 20,629.10  | 46.88                 |
| 19+20-23+40   | WR    | 440               | 4/6/77   | 4/13/77  | 1282                |                   | 1341              |                      |                    | 14,871.35  | 33.80                 |
| 25+40-30+00   | WR    | 440               | 3/21/77  | 3/31/77  | 1921                |                   | 1794              |                      |                    | 21,500.90  | 48.87                 |
| 8+00-4+40     | WR    | 440               | 8/78     | 8/78     |                     |                   |                   |                      | 220 CY Earth Cover | 517.00     | 1.16                  |
| 6+40-10+00    | WR    | 440               | 8/78     | 8/78     |                     |                   |                   |                      | 220 CY Earth Cover | 517.00     | 1.16                  |
| 12+00-17+20   | WR    | 440               | 8/78     | 8/78     |                     |                   |                   |                      | 220 CY Earth Cover | 517.00     | 1.16                  |
| 19+20-23+40   | WR    | 440               | 8/78     | 8/78     |                     |                   |                   |                      | 240 CY Earth Cover | 564.00     | 1.26                  |

Table 1-21 cont'd.  
EAGLE PARK CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

| Structure No.                | Type* | Total Length (ft) | Start   | End      | Total Stone (tons) | Total LGM (tons) | Total Exc (CY) | Total Gravel (tons) | Other                      | Total Cost | Cost/Pt. of Structure |
|------------------------------|-------|-------------------|---------|----------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------------------|------------|-----------------------|
| 1321.75                      | WRF   | 50                | 3/31/77 | 4/1/77   | 228                |                  | 231            |                     |                            | 2,822.85   | 56.46                 |
| 1321.85                      | WRF   | 50                | 4/4/77  | 4/5/77   | 225                |                  | 212            |                     |                            | 2,748.20   | 54.96                 |
| 1321.95                      | WRF   | 50                | 3/31/77 | 4/1/77   | 225                |                  | 227            |                     |                            | 2,783.45   | 55.67                 |
| 1321.45                      | WRF   | 50                | 3/22/77 | 3/22/77  | 224                |                  | 207            |                     |                            | 2,776.45   | 54.53                 |
| 1321.4                       | HP    | 80                | 4/5/77  | 4/6/77   | 522                |                  | 212            |                     |                            | 5,405.70   | 67.57                 |
| 1321.2                       | HP    | 80                | 4/13/77 | 4/15/77  | 450                |                  | 191            |                     |                            | 4,761.35   | 58.52                 |
| 1321.06                      | WRF   | 100               | 7/1/77  | 7/1/77   | 448                |                  | 940            |                     |                            | 6,889.90   | 68.89                 |
| 1321.05                      |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| 9+00.7+50                    | CR    | 750               | 9/6/77  | 10/24/77 | 3249               |                  | 5766           | 2811                |                            | 50,789.85  | 67.72                 |
| 10+56.16+00                  | CR    | 750               | 9/12/77 | 10/31/77 | 3258               |                  | 4203           |                     | 340 T. CAS<br>1325 S.Y. PC | 46,744.55  | 62.31                 |
| 21+00.20+00                  | CR    | 700               | 7/14/77 | 10/20/77 | 3040               |                  | 2117           | 198                 | 610 T. clay                | 39,242.95  | 56.06                 |
| 1322.85                      | WRF   | 100               | 6/30/77 | 6/30/77  | 637                |                  | 418            |                     |                            | 7,552.30   | 75.52                 |
| 1322.65                      | WRF   | 100               | 6/22/77 | 6/22/77  | 449                |                  | 1027           |                     |                            | 6,903.45   | 69.03                 |
| 1322.4                       | HP    | 100               | 6/16/77 | 6/21/77  | 600                |                  | 521            |                     |                            | 6,935.25   | 69.35                 |
| 1322.2                       | HP    | 60                | 6/14/77 | 6/16/77  | 609                |                  | 173            |                     |                            | 6,309.05   | 105.15                |
| 1322.0                       | HP    | 80                | 6/13/77 | 6/15/77  | 514                |                  | 185            |                     |                            | 5,242.25   | 65.78                 |
| SUM/TOTAL                    |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| Clearing and Grubbing        |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| Seeding                      |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| Monitoring and Documentation |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| Supervision & Administration |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| Engineering & Design         |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| TOTAL COST                   |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| \$369,000.00                 |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| 5,000.00                     |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| 7,000.00                     |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| 52,000.00                    |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| 38,000.00                    |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| 30,000.00                    |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |
| \$501,000.00                 |       |                   |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |                            |            |                       |

\*HP = Headpost; TR = Tree Retention; WRF = Wetland Retention;  
CR = Composite Retention; WR = Wetland Retention;  
BR = Baseline Retention;  
EC = Earth Core;  
Emb = Embankment;  
CAS = Cables & Spools

**Table 1-21a**  
**EAGLE PARK CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM**  
**REHABILITATION**

| Structure No.   | Type* | Total Length (ft) | Start   | End     | Total Stone (cu yd) | Total Limb (cu yd) | Total Exc (cu yd) | Total Gravel (cu yd) | Other                     | Total Cost | Cost/Rt. of Structure |
|---|-------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------|-----------------------|
| 1324.15   | WP    | 60                | 8/1/78  | 8/8/78  | 374                 |                    | 194               |                      |                           | 4,294.10   | 71.40                 |
| 1324.1  | WP    | 60                | 8/1/78  | 8/8/78  | 364                 |                    | 194               |                      |                           | 4,174.10   | 69.57                 |
| 1323.9  | WOF   | 50                | 8/8/78  | 8/8/78  | 233                 |                    | 94                |                      |                           | 2,718.10   | 54.36                 |
| 1323.80   |       |                   |         |         |                     |                    |                   |                      |                           |            |                       |
| 6+08.4+00   | BR    | 400               | 7/27/78 | 7/31/78 | 1553                |                    |                   |                      | 2315 CY Emb<br>232 T. CAS | 26,001.75  | 65.00                 |
| 6+50.18+50  | BR    | 400               | 7/21/78 | 7/27/78 | 1550                |                    |                   |                      | 2315 CY Emb<br>231 T. CAS | 26,044.75  | 65.11                 |
| 1323.85   | WOF   | 50                | 7/21/78 | 7/21/78 | 228                 |                    | 94                |                      |                           | 2,663.10   | 53.26                 |
| 1323.8  |       |                   |         |         |                     |                    |                   |                      |                           |            |                       |
| 12+08.17+20   | WR    | 440               | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 880                 |                    |                   |                      |                           | 11,440.00  | 26.00                 |
| 19+28.23+00   | WR    | 440               | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 1320                |                    |                   |                      |                           | 17,160.00  | 39.00                 |
| 25+08.38+00   | WR    | 440               | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 880                 |                    |                   |                      |                           | 11,440.00  | 26.00                 |
| 1323.85   | WOF   | 50                | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 150                 |                    |                   |                      |                           | 1,950.00   | 39.00                 |
| 1323.55   | WOF   | 50                | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 150                 |                    |                   |                      |                           | 1,950.00   | 39.00                 |
| 1323.45   | WOF   | 50                | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 150                 |                    |                   |                      |                           | 1,950.00   | 39.00                 |
| 1323.2  | WP    | 200               | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 1000                |                    |                   |                      |                           | 13,000.00  | 65.00                 |
| 1323.85   | CR    | 300               | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 |                     |                    |                   |                      | 600 T. CAS                | 8,100.00   | 27.00                 |
| 1322.4  | WP    | 50                | 10/1/79 | 10/1/79 | 100                 |                    |                   |                      |                           | 1,300.00   | 26.00                 |
| 1322.3  | WP    | 80                | 7/19/78 | 7/19/78 | 512                 |                    | 194               |                      |                           | 5,782.10   | 71.28                 |
| 1322.2  | WP    | 80                | 7/18/78 | 7/18/78 | 673                 |                    | 194               |                      |                           | 7,073.10   | 83.41                 |
| 1322.1  | WP    | 80                | 7/19/78 | 7/20/78 | 530                 |                    | 194               |                      |                           | 5,900.10   | 73.75                 |
| <div>SUBTOTAL<br/>Clearing and Grubbing<br/>Seeding<br/>Excavation<br/>Monitoring<br/>Supervision &amp; Administration<br/>Engineering &amp; Design<br/>TOTAL COST<br/>\$153,000.00<br/>2,000.00<br/>2,250.00<br/>5,500.00<br/>5,000.00<br/>9,000.00<br/>18,000.00<br/>\$195,000.00</div> |       |                   |         |         |                     |                    |                   |                      |                           |            |                       |

\*WP = Woodpoint, WR = Tree Retention, WOF = Windows Retention,  
CR = Composite Retention, WR = Windows Retention,  
BR = Barkless Retention,  
EC = Earth Core  
Emb = Embankment  
CAS = Cables & Spalls

\*WP = Handpoint; WR = Tree Removal; WOF = Window Relief;  
CR = Composite Roadway; WR = Window Roadway;  
BR = Bridge Roadway;  
EC = Earth Cover  
Emb = Embankment  
CAS = Cables & Spalls



Photo 19. Composite Revetment Site - Type E 323.05, prior to construction. (Photo taken 14 July 1977)



Photo 20. Composite Revetment - Type E 1323.05, station 26+50, prior to bank slope shaping. (Photo taken 22 August 1977)

Eagle Park Area  
Photos 19 and 20



Photo 21. Bank slope shaping and clay placement on Composite Revetment Type E 1323.05, Station 26+50. (Photo taken 29 September 1977)

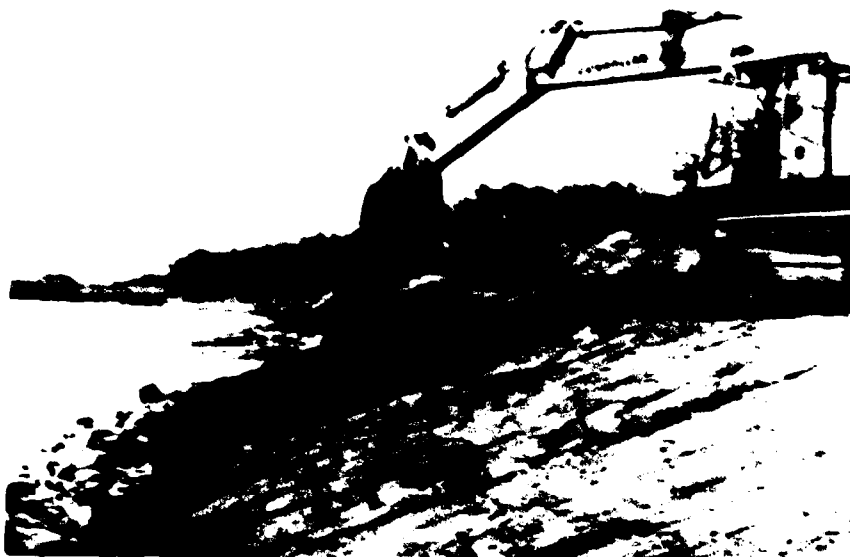


Photo 22. Clay placement on Composite Revetment Type E 1323.05, Station 26+50. (Photo taken 29 September 1977)

Eagle Park Area  
Photos 21 and 22





Photo 23. Composite Revetment - Type A 1323.05, Station 0+00 to 7+50, with gravel cover. (Photo taken June 1978)



Photo 24. Windrow Revetment 1323.8, Station 12+80 to 17+20, approximately 6 months after completion. (Photo taken September 1977)

Eagle Park Area  
Photos 23 and 24



Photo 25. Windrow Revetment 1323.8, Station 0+00 to 4+40, approximately 15 months after completion. (Photo taken June 1978)



Photo 26. Looking upstream along the Hardpoint System at the downstream end of the project. (Photo taken July 1979)

Eagle Park Area  
Photos 25 and 26



Photo 27. Tree Retard 1324.19 during construction.  
(Photo taken September 1977)



Photo 28. Tree Retard Structure 1324.19.  
(Photo taken September 1977)

Eagle Park Area  
Photos 27 and 28

5. BURNT CREEK PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 14-1. The initial demonstration project consisted of approximately 2,100 linear feet of reinforced revetment in four segments, 400 linear feet of windrow revetment, six windrow refusals totalling 325 linear feet, 1,350 linear feet of composite revetment in two segments, three hardpoints totalling 220 linear feet, two earth core dikes totalling 1,100 linear feet, and two environmental gaps. The initial contract for the project was modified by adding 250 linear feet of composite revetment and 80 linear feet of windrow stone fill refusal. Typical sections of the structure types used in this project are shown on Plates 14-2, 14-3, 14-4 and 14-5. The reinforced revetments are Type II and consist of toe fill (stone or low grade material) placed a short distance riverward of the high bank; stone fill tiebacks, extending from the toe fill to or into the high banks; and cut/fill slopes, between and landward ends of the tiebacks, which form the lower, upper, and highback bank zones. The average stone material application rate for each structure type demonstrated at the Burnt Creek Area is shown in Table 1-22.

Table 1-22

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Material<br/>Application Rate<br/>(tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 4.8   |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.9   |
| Windrow Revetment     | 4.1   |
| Windrow Refusal       | 4.4   |
| Earth Core Dike       | 8.6   |
| Hardpoints            | 6.5   |

Table 1-25 provides a construction program of the Burnt Creek project which includes material quantities and costs by structure.

Tables 1-23 and 1-24 display the specified stone gradations.

Table 1-23

**STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE (UPPER), REINFORCED  
REVETMENT TIERBACKS, WINDROW REVETMENT AND REFUSALS, HARDPOINT UPPER  
PAVING FILL AND ROOT AND UPPER SEGMENTS OF EARTH CORE DIKES  
(UPPER BANK TREATMENT)**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>of Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|------------------------------------|--|
| 200 lbs                            | 100  |
| 50 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                      | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-24

**STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE (LOWER), REINFORCED  
REVETMENT TOE, HARDPOINT CORE AND TOE REVETMENT OF EARTH CORE DIKES  
AND OTHER STONE FILL STRUCTURES**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

The stone material used in the construction of this project was required to meet the following standards: bulk specific gravity, saturated surface - dry basis, Method CRD-C 107-69, required not less than 2.35; soundness in magnesium sulfate, ASTM Standard C88-76, required a loss of 5 cycles of not more than 12 percent; soundness in freezing and thawing for Ledge Rock Method Modified Designation T103-62, required a loss at 12 cycles not to exceed 10 percent.

An aerial photograph of completed Earth Core Dikes 1321.15 and 1320.8 is shown on Photo 29. A typical photograph of a reinforced revetment is shown on Photo 30. Photo 31 shows vegetation cover on Dike 1321.15. The environmental notch of Dike 1320.8 is shown on Photo 32.

Table 1-25

**BURNT CREEK CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM**

| Structure <sup>a</sup>                                       | Type <sup>a</sup> | Length (ft) | Start    | Date     | Total<br>Stones (tons) | Total<br>Emb (CY) | Total<br>Gravel (tons) | Other                    | Total<br>Cost | Cost/ft.<br>of Structure |
|--|-------------------|-------------|----------|----------|------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 1321.95  | HP                | 100         | 10/25/79 | 10/25/79 | 604                    | 300               | 25                     |                          | 8,324.00      | 83.24                    |
| 1321.92  | HP                | 60          | 6/80     | 6/80     | 360                    | 180               | 25                     |                          | 5,095.00      | 84.92                    |
| 1321.89  | HP                | 60          | 10/25/79 | 10/25/79 | 367                    | 180               | 26                     |                          | 5,193.75      | 86.56                    |
| 1321.81  | WRF               | 75          | 6/21/80  | 6/23/80  | 460                    | 340               |                        |                          | 6,315.00      | 84.20                    |
| 1321.80  | RR                | 600         | 6/23/80  | 6/23/80  | 2928                   | 2311              | 361                    |                          | 45,183.00     | 75.30                    |
| 9+00 to 6+00   | RR                | 600         | 6/10/80  | 6/28/80  | 2927                   | 1800              | 360                    |                          | 44,135.75     | 73.56                    |
| 18+00 to 22+00   | RR                | 400         | 6/17/80  | 6/28/80  | 1948                   | 1200              | 240                    |                          | 29,383.00     | 73.46                    |
| 25+00 to 27+50   | CR                | 250         | 10/23/79 | 10/29/79 | 1693                   |                   | 158                    |                          | 22,793.25     | 91.17                    |
| 1321.60  | WRF               | 50          | 6/09/80  | 6/10/80  | 303                    | 225               |                        |                          | 4,161.75      | 83.24                    |
| 1321.40  | WRF               | 50          | 6/10/80  | 6/10/80  | 301                    | 225               |                        |                          | 4,137.25      | 82.75                    |
| 1321.15  | Dike              | 600         |          |          | 3925                   |                   | 800                    | 5700 CY Emb<br>300 SY FC | 72,506.25     | 120.84                   |
| 0+75 to 6+75   |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               |                          |
| 1320.8   | Dike              | 50          | 10/09/79 | 10/16/79 | 200                    | 200               |                        |                          | 2,850.00      | 57.00                    |
| 0+80 to 1+30   |                   | 100         | 10/09/79 | 10/16/79 | 1125                   | 200               | 200                    | 475 CY Emb<br>300 SY FC  | 19,050.00     | 190.50                   |
| 2+30 to 5+30   |                   | 300         | 10/08/79 | 10/16/79 | 2100                   |                   | 350                    | 3600 CY Emb              | 38,375.00     | 127.92                   |
| 5+30 to 5+80   | WRF               | 50          | 10/09/79 | 10/16/79 | 865                    |                   | 220                    | 510 CY Emb               | 14,603.75     | 292.08                   |
| 1320.71  |                   | 50          | 10/04/79 | 10/05/79 | 301                    | 225               |                        |                          | 4,137.25      | 82.75                    |
| 1320.70  |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               |                          |
| 0+00 to 5+00   | RR                | 500         | 10/06/79 | 10/09/79 | 2150                   | 1500              |                        |                          | 29,337.50     | 58.68                    |
| 5+00 to 9+00   | WR                | 400         | 10/12/79 | 10/13/79 | 1629                   | 2400              |                        |                          | 24,755.25     | 61.89                    |
| 11+70 to 22+70   | CR                | 1100        | 10/01/79 | 10/22/79 | 5396                   |                   | 666                    |                          | 74,759.00     | 67.96                    |
| 1320.53  | WRF               | 50          | 10/01/79 | 10/03/79 | 304                    | 225               |                        |                          | 4,174.00      | 83.48                    |
| Rehab bankline and construct refusal 1320.56                 |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          | \$6,311.00    |                          |
| Relocate Dike 1321.2, delete stone root, add refusal 1321.31 |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          | \$1,234.00    |                          |
| SUBTOTAL   |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | \$466,800.00             |
| Clearing and Grubbing  |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | 28,000.00                |
| Seeding  |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | 23,250.00                |
| Monitoring & Evaluation                                      |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | 54,000.00                |
| Remove Car Bodies  |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | 1,500.00                 |
| Supervision and Administration                               |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | 24,000.00                |
| Engineering and Design                                       |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | 33,000.00                |
| TOTAL COST   |                   |             |          |          |                        |                   |                        |                          |               | \$631,000.00             |

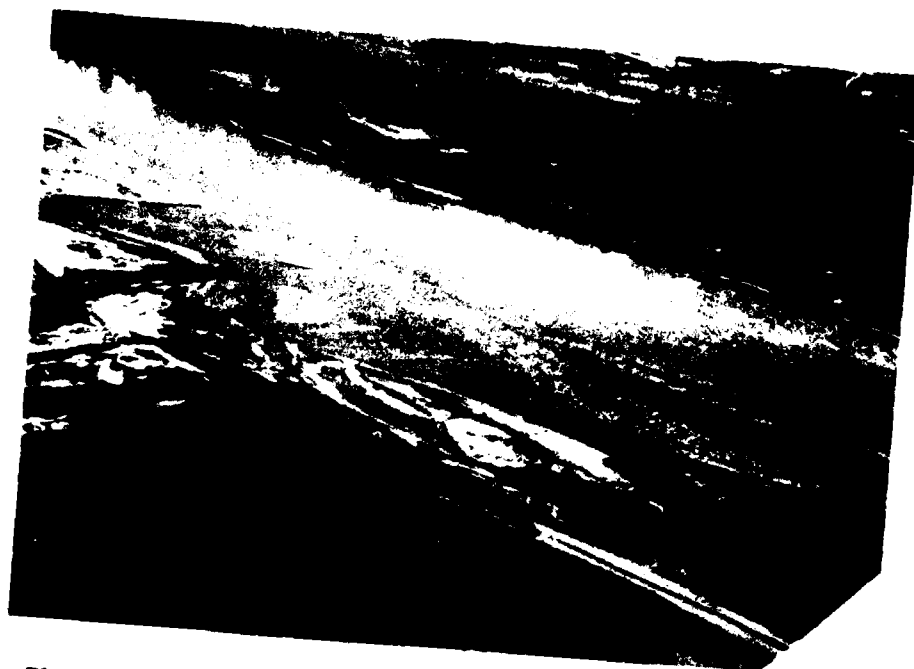


Photo 29. Aerial View of Completed Dikes 1321.15 and 1320.8. (Photo taken 15 April 1980)



Photo 30. Reinforced Revetment 1321.8, looking downstream at Station 20+00. (Photo taken 6 August 1980)

Burnt Creek Area  
Photos 29 and 30



Photo 31. Vegetation cover on Dike 1321.15. (Photo taken 15 April 1980)



Photo 32. Dike 1320.8, with environmental gap shown in the foreground, approximately 9 months after completion. (Photo taken 18 July 1960)

Burnt Creek Area  
Photos 31 and 32



6. I-94 HIGHWAY PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plates 15-1 and 15-2. The demonstration project consists of approximately 400 linear feet of reinforced revetment, Type I, 856 linear feet for 17 windrow refusals, 350 linear feet of windrow revetment, 5,825 linear feet of composite revetment divided into 14 segments, 1,820 linear feet of rehabilitated revetment in five segments, 150 linear feet of four existing concrete hardpoints, and 100 linear feet of hardpoint.

As a result of the increasing difficulty in locating quality stone material from nearby sources, the cost of stone has risen drastically in recent years. For this reason, an alternate type of material was fabricated and utilized to replace the low grade material in the lower toe zones of composite revetment which would still maintain structure stability.

Of the 5,825 linear feet of composite revetment, 4,100 linear feet is composed of a lower toe zone of broken soil-cement covered by high quality stone and a thin layer of gravel. The soil-cement material was designed to be used exclusively in the lower toe zones of composite revetment, as shown on the typical sections, Plate 15-4. The entire composite revetment consists of 1.5 cubic yards per linear foot of graded soil-cement covered by 2 tons per linear foot of stone material which is topped by a thin cover layer of gravel.

The entire fabrication process was done on a large vegetated sandbar near the project area. The soil-cement was fabricated utilizing the insitu material off the sandbar as the soil base. The sieve analysis run on this sandy material, shown in Table 1-26, showed a very compatible soil material for soil-cement. A mix design was determined resulting in a required cement content of 13% by weight of soil. A portable continuous central plant method of mixing the material was established on the sandbar. The soil, water, and cement were systematically added in their appropriate quantities to a pug mill for mixing which resulted in

a production rate of approximately 100 cubic yards per hour. The mixed material was then hauled by a front end loader to the curing site and then leveled in one foot thick layers on the compacted curing site by a small dozer. The material was then compacted by a rubber-tired roller to at least 96% of the maximum dry density of 108.1 pounds per cubic foot. The in-place soil cement was then sliced both lengthwise and crosswise along the surface by four heavy duty plow cutters mounted on a beam attached to a small crawler loader bucket that allowed height variation hydraulically. The material was not recompact after cutting to avoid resealing the joints and to reduce unnecessary vibration on the new curing material. The mixing, placing and cutting process took 7 days to complete the required 6,150 cubic yards of soil-cement. The soil-cement was then covered with sand and wet cured for 7 days. After curing, the soil-cement material was broken along the fracture lines to the specified gradation, shown on Plate 15-5, and transported by floating plant equipment to the construction site for placement in the toe of the composite revetment structures. This placement procedure took a total of 1-1/2 weeks.

Table 1-26

SOIL-CEMENT TEST RESULTS

| Sieve Analysis of Soil Material - | <u>Percent Passing</u> | <u>Total Sample</u> |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
|                                   | #10 sieve (2.00mm)     | 100%                |
|                                   | #20 sieve (0.84mm)     | 99.4%               |
|                                   | #40 sieve (0.42mm)     | 95.8%               |
|                                   | #80 sieve (0.177mm)    | 42.4%               |
|                                   | #200 sieve (0.074mm)   | 5.0%                |
|                                   | 0.05mm                 | 4.0%                |
|                                   | 0.02mm                 | 2.0%                |
|                                   | 0.005mm                | 0                   |

Soil Classification - Unified - Poorly graded sand, SP  
AASHO - A-3

Optimum Moisture Content - 13.8%

Maximum Dry Density - 108.1 pounds per cubic foot

Cement Content by weight of dry soil material - 13%

The reinforced revetment Type I consists of the "toe" fill (stone or low grade material) placed adjacent to the high bank, and the "tie-back" stone fills placed in trenches excavated into the high bank. The existing concrete hardpoints were covered with gravel.

Table 1-29 displays the construction program at the I-94 Highway area.

Tables 1-27 and 1-28 display the specified stone gradations.

Table 1-27

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE (UPPER), REHABILITATED  
REVETMENT, REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS, WINDROW REVETMENT AND  
REFUSALS, HARDPOINT UPPER PAVING FILL AND ROOT

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-28

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE (LOWER), REINFORCED  
REVETMENT TOE AND HARDPOINT CORE

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Photos 38 and 39 show 500 lb. and 200 lb. gradation tests. The stone material used in the construction of this project was required to meet the following standards: bulk specific gravity, saturated surface-dry basis, Method CRD-C 107-69, required not less than 2.35. Soundness in magnesium sulfate, ASTM Standard C88-76, required a loss of 5 cycles of not more than 12 percent; soundness in freezing and thawing for Ledge Rock Method Modified Designation T103-62, required a loss at 12 cycles not to exceed 10 percent.

Photographs of the soil-cement fabrication site and the soil-cement material placed in the tow of a composite revetment are shown on Photos 33 and 34.

Photographs of representative erosion areas and structures during and after construction are shown on Photos 35, 36 and 37.

Photos 40 and 41 show the cobbles and spalls gradation test and the gravel stockpile.

Table 1-29  
I-94 CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

| Structure#     | Type# | Total Length | Start   | Date End | Total Stone (tons) | Total LCM (tons) | Total Exc (CY) | Total Gravel (tons) | Other      | Total Cost | Cost/ft. of Structure |
|----------------|-------|--------------|---------|----------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|------------|------------|-----------------------|
| 1318.21        | WRF   | 75           | 7/21/80 | 7/22/80  | 447                |                  | 335            |                     |            | 11,004.08  | 110.04                |
| 1318.2         |       |              |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     | 76 T C&S   |            |                       |
| 0+00 to 1+50   | ReR   | 150          | 6/17/80 | 7/18/80  | 302                |                  |                | 246                 |            | 7,981.88   | 53.21                 |
| 1+50 to 5+50   | CR    | 400          | 6/9/80  | 7/15/80  | 1810               |                  |                |                     |            | 44,182.95  | 110.46                |
| 7+50 to 11+75  | CR    | 425          | 6/11/80 | 7/16/80  | 1919               |                  |                | 262                 |            | 46,872.46  | 110.29                |
| 13+25 to 15+00 | CR    | 175          | 6/16/80 | 7/17/80  | 788                |                  |                | 104                 |            | 19,180.62  | 109.60                |
| 16+25 to 18+00 | CR    | 175          | 6/16/80 | 7/17/80  | 804                |                  |                | 107                 |            | 19,575.54  | 111.86                |
| 20+00 to 22+50 | CR    | 250          | 6/17/80 | 7/17/80  | 1143               |                  |                | 158                 |            | 27,969.22  | 111.88                |
| 1318.12        | WRF   | 50           | 7/21/80 | 7/22/80  | 300                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,395.20   | 147.90                |
| 1318.10        | HP    | 40           | 7/18/80 | 7/18/80  |                    |                  |                | 35                  |            | 623.00     | 15.58                 |
| 1318.08        | HP    | 40           | 7/18/80 | 7/18/80  |                    |                  |                | 35                  |            | 623.00     | 15.58                 |
| 1318.06        | HP    | 40           | 7/18/80 | 7/18/80  |                    |                  |                | 32                  |            | 571.02     | 14.28                 |
| 1318.04        | WRF   | 40           | 7/21/80 | 7/22/80  | 238                |                  | 180            |                     |            | 5,867.54   | 146.69                |
| 1318.01        | WRF   | 30           | 7/22/80 | 7/23/80  | 190                |                  | 135            |                     |            | 4,660.20   | 155.34                |
| 1317.97        | WRF   | 50           | 7/22/80 | 7/23/80  | 318                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,783.50   | 155.67                |
| 1317.95        | HP    | 30           | 7/18/80 | 7/18/80  |                    |                  |                | 32                  |            | 569.60     | 18.99                 |
| 1317.90        | WRF   | 50           | 7/17/80 | 7/17/80  | 311                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,846.20   | 156.92                |
| 1317.89        | WR    | 350          | 6/10/80 | 7/3/80   | 1586               |                  | 2100           |                     |            | 42,248.16  | 120.71                |
| 1317.79        | WRF   | 50           | 7/3/80  | 7/7/80   | 321                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,846.20   | 156.92                |
| 1317.78        |       |              |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |            |            |                       |
| 0+00 to 3+00   | CR    | 300          | 6/19/80 | 8/28/80  | 1355               |                  |                | 178                 |            | 32,990.75  | 109.97                |
| 6+00 to 11+00  | CR    | 500          | 6/19/80 | 8/28/80  | 1007               |                  |                | 299                 | 750 CY S-C | 51,467.34  |                       |
| 11+00 to 12+50 | ReR   | 150          | 6/19/80 | 8/28/80  | 299                |                  |                |                     | 70 T C&S   | 7,826.59   | 52.18                 |
| 12+50 to 14+00 | CR    | 150          | 6/19/80 | 8/28/80  | 312                |                  |                | 92                  | 225 CY S-C | 15,699.45  | 104.66                |
| 14+00 to 16+00 | ReR   | 200          | 6/19/80 | 8/28/80  | 603                |                  |                |                     | 13,267.76  |            | 66.34                 |
| 21+50 to 27+00 | CR    | 550          | 6/19/80 | 8/28/80  | 1100               |                  |                | 331                 | 825 CY S-C | 56,488.23  | 102.71                |
| 1317.71        | WRF   | 50           | 7/25/80 | 8/19/80  | 314                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,696.60   | 153.93                |
| 1317.43        | WRF   | 61           | 7/28/80 | 8/15/80  | 301                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,413.02   | 121.52                |
| 1317.31        | WRF   | 50           | 7/28/80 | 8/18/80  | 311                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,620.92   | 152.42                |
| 1317.3         |       |              |         |          |                    |                  |                |                     |            |            |                       |
| 0+00 to 3+50   | ReR   | 350          | 6/30/80 | 9/3/80   | 739                |                  |                |                     | 164 T C&S  | 19,172.89  | 54.78                 |
| 4+90 to 12+60  | ReR   | 770          | 6/30/80 | 9/3/80   | 1543               |                  |                |                     | 369 T C&S  | 40,525.54  | 52.02                 |
| 1317.19        | WRF   | 50           | 7/28/80 | 8/12/80  | 305                |                  | 225            |                     |            | 7,488.26   | 149.77                |

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WRP = Windrow Refusal; ReR = Rehabilitated Revetment;  
CR = Composite Revetment; HP = Hardpoint; RR = Reinforced Revetment;  
WR = Windrow Revetment  
CAS = Cobbles & Spalls  
S-C = Soil-Cement



Photo 33. Soil-Cement Fabrication Site located on a high vegetated island near the project site. (Photo taken 17 July 1980)



Photo 34. Soil-Cement toe prior to stone cover. (Photo taken 15 August 1980)

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Photos 33 and 34



Photo 35. Composite Revetment during placement of gravel cover at Stations 7+50 to 11+75. (Photo taken 26 August 1980)



Photo 36. Composite Revetment 1317.78 approximately 3 months after completion. (Photo taken 2 September 1980)

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Photos 35 and 36





Photo 37. Composite Revetment 1318.2 approximately 4 months after completion. (Photo taken 9 October 1980)



Photo 38. 500 pound gradation test. (Photo taken 12 May 1980)

I-94 Area  
Photos 37 and 38



Photo 39. 200 pound gradation test. (Photo taken 12 May 1980)

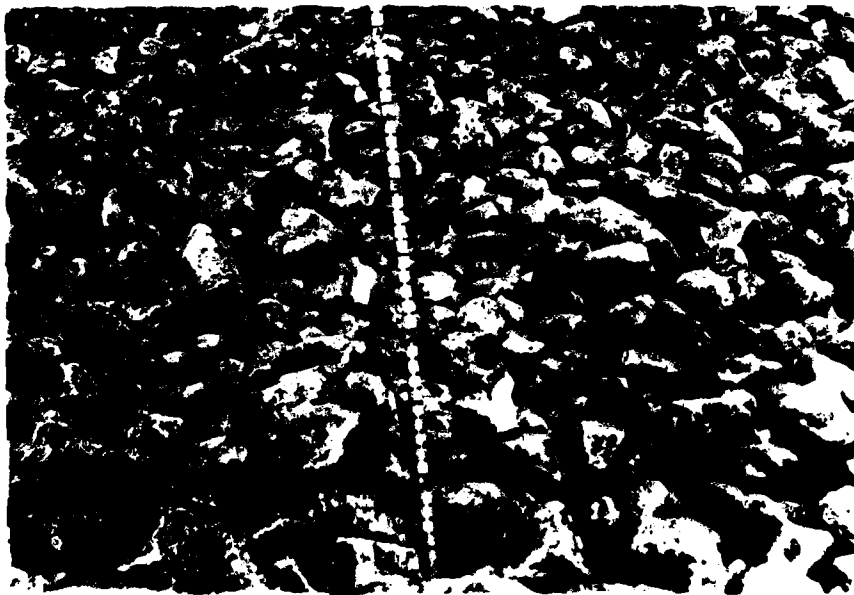


Photo 40. Cobbles and spalls gradation test. (Photo taken 12 May 1980)

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Photos 39 and 40

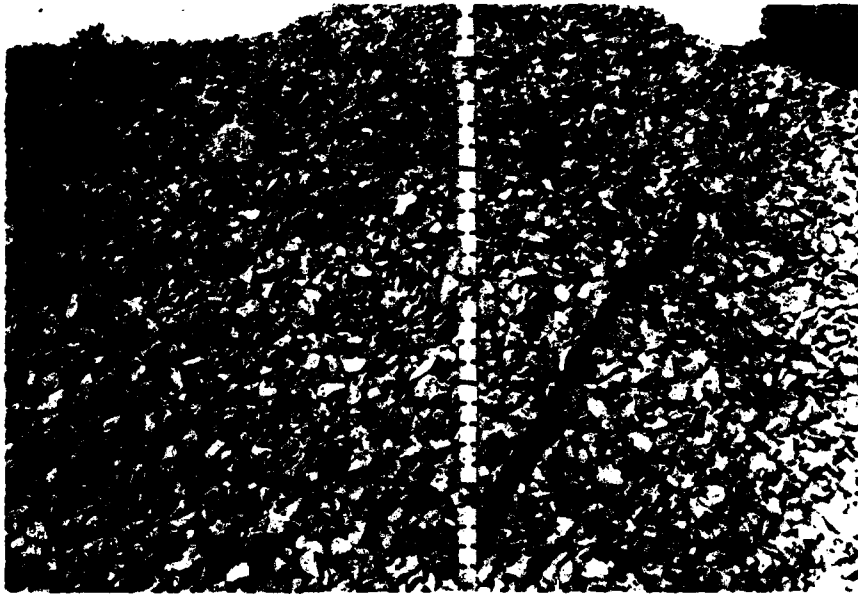


Photo 41. Gravel stockpile. (Photo taken 12 May 1980)

I-94 Area  
Photo 41

7. PRETTY POINT (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 9-1. This demonstration project is currently under construction and consists of approximately 500 linear feet of reinforced revetment, five 50 linear feet of windrow refusals, two segments totaling 900 linear feet of windrow revetment, and 1,100 linear feet of composite revetment in two segments. The reinforced revetments are Type II and the windrow revetments are Type A, which are discussed in detail in Section III.B., paragraph 1.a., of this appendix.

The demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including different windrow material application rates, and alternate reinforced revetment tieback intervals and stone toe designs. The average stone material application rate for each structure type is shown in Table 1-30.

Table 1-30

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Material<br/>Application Rate<br/>(tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.6   |
| Windrow Revetment     | 3.9   |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0   |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5   |

Table 1-33 shows the construction schedule for the Pretty Point (Phase I) project.

Tables 1-31 and 1-32 indicate the specific stone gradation for the various structural components.

Table 1-31

**STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION  
(UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIERBACKS, WINDROW REVETMENT  
AND REFUSALS, HARDPOINT UPPER PAVING FILL AND ROOT**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <u>GRADATION A</u>                  |  |
| 150 lbs                             | 100  |
| 40 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION B</u>                  |  |
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION C</u>                  |  |
| 250 lbs                             | 100  |
| 60 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-32

**STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION  
(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Photographs of typical bankline prior to construction are shown on Photos 42 and 43.

Table 1-33  
PRETTY POINT (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                    |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW GRADE<br>MATERL. (TUNS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TUNS) |
| REV. 1343.72 | R    | 50               | 2+30 to 2+80          | Windrow Refusal   | 1674.3          | 300             | C                  | ---                                     | 225                  | ---              |
| REV. 1343.71 | R    | 500              | 0+00 to 5+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>-Type II (Tieback<br>interval @ 100') | 1647.3          | 550             | C                  | 2250                                    | 1500                 | 300              |
| REV. 1343.60 | R    | 50               | 3+70 to 4+20          | Windrow Refusal   | 1647.2          | 300             | C                  | ---                                     | 225                  | ---              |
| REV. 1343.59 | R    | 400              | 0+00 to 4+00          | Windrow Revetment<br>-Type A (4.5 c/lr)                       | 1647.2          | 1800            | C                  | ---                                     | 1600                 | ---              |
|              | R    | 500              | 7+00 to 12+00         | Windrow Revetment<br>-Type A (3.5 c/lr)                       | 1647.1          | 1750            | C                  | ---                                     | 1500                 | ---              |
| REV. 1343.46 | R    | 50               | 3+05 to 3+55          | Windrow Refusal   | 1647.1          | 300             | C                  | ---                                     | 225                  | ---              |
| REV. 1343.34 | R    | 50               | 4+75 to 5+25          | Windrow Refusal   | 1647.0          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 225                  | ---              |
| REV. 1343.33 | R    | 500              | 0+00 to 5+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1647.0          | 1000            | B                  | 1250                                    | ---                  | 300              |
|              | R    | 600              | 8+00 to 14+00         | Composite Revetment   | 1646.9          | 1200            | B                  | 1500                                    | ---                  | 300              |
| REV. 1343.26 | R    | 50               | 1180 to 2+30          | Windrow Refusal   | 1646.9          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 225                  | ---              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-25.



Photo 42. Aerial view of upstream portion of Pretty Point-Phase I Area prior to construction.  
(Photo taken 15 April 1980)



Photo 43. Typical downstream bankline along Pretty Point-Phase I Area prior to construction.  
(Photo taken 22 May 1980)

Pretty Point-Phase I Area  
Photos 42 and 43

8. PRICE PART I (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for the project is shown on Plates 10-1 and 10-2. This demonstration project consists of five segments totalling approximately 2,225 linear feet of reinforced revetment, 1,950 linear feet of composite revetment in five segments, two segments of windrow revetment totalling 750 linear feet, and 12 windrow refusals totalling 650 linear feet. The reinforced revetments are Types I, II and IV, and the windrow revetment is Type A. Typical sections of these structure types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. The demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including different windrow material application rates and alternative revetment tieback and stone toe designs. The average stone material application rate for the structures constructed at this project is shown in Table 1-34.

Table 1-34

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Application Rate (tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|--|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.6  |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5  |
| Windrow Revetment     | 4.5  |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0  |

Table 1-37 shows the construction schedule for the Price-Part I (Phase I) project.

Tables 1-35 and 1-36 display the specific stone gradations for the various structural components.



Table 1-35

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION  
(UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIERBACKS, WINDROW REVETMENT  
AND REFUSALS

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <u>GRADATION A</u>                  |  |
| 150 lbs                             | 100  |
| 40 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION B</u>                  |  |
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION C</u>                  |  |
| 250 lbs                             | 100  |
| 60 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-36

STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION  
(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Photos 44 and 45 show typical eroding banklines along the Price-  
Part I (Phase I) project area.

Table 1-37  
PRICE-PART I (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION  | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES        |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |  |                 |                 |                    | LOW-GRADE<br>MATERL. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REF. 1342.36 | R    | 50               | 1+80 to 2+30          | WINDROW REFUSAL  | 1646.3          | 300             | A                  | ---                         | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1342.37 | R    | 800              | 0+00 to 8+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>-Type II (Tieback<br>Intervals @ 100') | 1646.3          | 880             | A                  | 3600                        | 2400                 | 480              |
| REF. 1342.17 | R    | 50               | 2+45 to 2+95          | WINDROW REFUSAL  | 1646.1          | 300             | B                  | ---                         | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1342.16 | R    | 450              | 0+00 to 4+50          | Composite Revetment  | 1646.1          | 900             | B                  | 1125                        | ---                  | 210              |
| REF. 1342.04 | R    | 100              | 6+15 to 7+15          | WINDROW REFUSAL  | 1646.0          | 600             | B                  | ---                         | 600                  | ---              |
| REV. 1342.03 | R    | 350              | 0+00 to 3+50          | Reinforced Revetment<br>-Type I (tieback<br>Intervals @ 70')   | 1646.0          | 550             | B                  | 1575                        | 1050                 | 210              |
|              | R    | 400              | 7+00 to 11+00         | Reinforced Revetment<br>-Type I (tieback<br>Intervals @ 200')  | 1645.9          | 220             | B                  | 1800                        | 1200                 | 240              |
| REF. 1341.84 | R    | 50               | 4+30 to 4+80          | WINDROW REFUSAL  | 1645.9          | 300             | B                  | ---                         | 300                  | ---              |
| REF. 1341.68 | R    | 50               | 2+80 to 3+30          | WINDROW REFUSAL  | 1645.8          | 300             | C                  | ---                         | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1341.67 | R    | 650              | 0+00 to 6+50          | Composite Revetment  | 1645.8          | 1300            | C                  | 1625                        | ---                  | 90               |
| REV. 1341.67 | R    | 150              | 9+00 to 10+50         | Composite Revetment  | 1645.6          | 300             | C                  | 375                         | ---                  | ---              |
| REF. 1341.47 | R    | 50               | 0+50 to 1+00          | WINDROW REFUSAL  | 1645.6          | 300             | C                  | ---                         | 300                  | ---              |
| REF. 1341.36 | R    | 50               | 0+15 to 0+65          | WINDROW REFUSAL  | 1645.5          | 300             | B                  | ---                         | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1341.35 | R    | 400              | 0+00 to 4+00          | WINDROW Revetment<br>Type A (4.5 t/lf)                         | 1645.5          | 1800            | B                  | ---                         | 2400                 | ---              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section 11.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-28.

Table 1-37 contd.  
PRICE-PART I (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                     |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATERI.. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REV. 1341.35 | R    | 350              | 6+50 to 10+00         | Windrow Revetment<br>Type A (4.5 t/lf)                                    | 1645.4          | 1575            | B                  | ---                                      | 2100                 | ---              |
| REF. 1341.24 | R    | 50               | 0+25 to 0+75          | Windrow Refusal   | 1645.4          | 300             | B                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |
| REF. 1341.14 | R    | 50               | 0+80 to 1+30          | Windrow Refusal   | 1645.3          | 300             | B                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1341.13 | R    | 350              | 0+00 to 3+50          | Composite Revetment   | 1645.3          | 700             | A                  | 875                                      |                      | 210              |
|              | R    | 350              | 0+50 to 9+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1645.25         | 700             | A                  | 875                                      | 210                  |                  |
| REF. 1341.04 | R    | 50               | 0+70 to 1+20          | Windrow Refusal   | 1645.25         | 300             | A                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |
| REF. 1340.89 | R    | 50               | -0+20 to 0+30         | Windrow Refusal   | 1645.2          | 300             | B                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1340.88 | R    | 375              | 0+00 to 3+75          | Reinforced Revetment <sup>1</sup><br>Type IV (clebeck<br>Interval @ 75')  | 1645.2          | 550             | B                  | 1690                                     | 1125                 | 225              |
|              | R    | 300              | 6+25 to 9+25          | Reinforced Revetment <sup>1</sup><br>Type IV (clebeck<br>Interval @ 100') | 1645.1          | 220             | B                  | 1350                                     | 900                  | 180              |
| REF. 1340.78 | R    | 50               | 0+50 to 1+00          | Windrow Refusal   | 1645.1          | 300             | B                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation  
as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and  
weights as defined in Table 1-28.



Photo 44. Aerial view of Price-Part I Phase I area,  
prior to construction. (Photo taken  
15 April 1980)



Photo 45. Typical eroding bankline. (Photo taken  
22 May 1980)

Price-Part I - Phase I Area  
Photos 44 and 45

9. COAL LAKE COULEE (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 5-1. This demonstration project was completed in June 1981 and consists of approximately 300 linear feet of reinforced revetment, 700 linear feet of windrow revetment, two segments totalling 1,300 linear feet of composite revetment, and four 50 linear feet windrow refusals. The reinforced revetment is Type I and the windrow revetment is Type A. Typical sections of the structural types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. The demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including different windrow material application rates and alternative revetment tieback intervals and stone toe designs. The average stone material application rate for each structure type at this project is shown in Table 1-38.

Table 1-38

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Application<br/>Rate (tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|--|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.6  |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5  |
| Windrow Revetment     | 3.5  |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0  |

Table 1-41 shows the construction schedule for the Coal Lake Coulee (Phase I) project.

Tables 1-39 and 1-40 indicate the specific stone gradations for various structural components.

Table 1-39

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL  
GRADATION UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT, TIEBACKS,  
WINDROW REVETMENT AND REFUSALS

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <u>GRADATION A</u>                  |  |
| 150 lbs                             | 100  |
| 40 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION B</u>                  |  |
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 60  |
| 2-Inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION C</u>                  |  |
| 250 lbs                             | 100  |
| 60 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-40

STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION  
(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Photo 46 shows the typical eroding bankline along the Coal Lake  
Coulee (Phase I) project area.

Table 1-41  
COAL LAKE COULEE (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                    |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATERL. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REF. 1358.14 | L    | 50'              | 0+40 to 0+90          | Windrow Refusal   | 1658.6          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1358.13 | L    | 700'             | 0+00 to 7+00          | Windrow Revetment<br>-Type A (3.5 T/LF)                       | 1658.6          | 2450            | B                  | ---                                     | 2100                 | ---              |
| REF. 1358.96 | L    | 50'              | 1+90 to 2+40          | Windrow Refusal   | 1685.5          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1358.97 | L    | 300              | 0+00 to 3+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>-Type I (Tieback<br>Intervals @ 100') | 1658.5          | 330             | B                  | 1350                                    | 900                  | 180              |
| REF. 1358.87 | L    | 50'              | 1+80 to 2+30          | Windrow Refusal   | 1658.4          | 300             | C                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1358.86 | L    | 600'             | 0+00 to 6+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1658.4          | 1200            | C                  | 1500                                    | ---                  | 360              |
|              | L    | 700'             | 9+00 to 16+00         | Composite Revetment   | 1658.3          | 1400            | A                  | 1750                                    | ---                  | 420              |
| REF. 1358.70 | L    | 50'              | 1+90 to 2+40          | Windrow Refusal   | 1658.3          | 300             | A                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation  
as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and  
weights as defined in Table 1-31.



Photo 46. Typical severely eroding bank-  
line along the Coal Lake Coulee -  
Phase I project area. (Photo  
taken 23 May 1980)

Coal Lake Coulee - Phase I Area  
Photo 46



10. KNIFE POINT I (PHASE I) PROJECT.

The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 3-1. The demonstration project was completed in June 1981 and consists of approximately 750 linear feet of reinforced revetment in two segments, 850 linear feet of composite revetment in two segments, 850 linear feet of windrow revetment, and five 50 linear feet windrow refusals. The reinforced revetment is Type II and IV. The windrow revetment is Type A. Typical sections of the structural types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. The demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including different windrow material application rates and alternative revetment tieback and stone toe designs. The average stone application rate for each structure at this project is shown in Table 1-42.

Table 1-42

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Application<br/>Rate (tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|--|
| Windrow Revetment     | 4.5  |
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.6  |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5  |
| Windrow Refusals      | 6.0  |

Table 1-45 shows the construction schedule for the Knife Point I (Phase I) project.

Tables 1-43 and 1-44 display the specific stone gradations for the various structural components of this project.

Table 1-43

**STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION  
UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS, WINDROW REVETMENT  
AND REFUSALS**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

**GRADATION A**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 150 lbs       | 100     |
| 40 lbs        | 30 - 55 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

**GRADATION B**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 200 lbs       | 100     |
| 50 lbs        | 35 - 60 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

**GRADATION C**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 250 lbs       | 100     |
| 60 lbs        | 30 - 55 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

Table 1-44

**STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION  
(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 500 lbs       | 100     |
| 165 lbs       | 35 - 60 |
| 3-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

A photograph of the typical eroding bankline at the Knife Point -  
Part I (Phase I) project area is shown on Photo 47.

Table 1-45  
KNIFE POINT-PART I (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATERL. (TONS) | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    |   | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REV. 1374.06 | L    | 50'              | 2+40 to 2+90          | Windrow Refusal   | 1667.8          | .00             | A                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1374.05 | L    | 850'             | 0+00 to 8+50          | Windrow Revetment<br>-Type A (4.5 T/LP                          | 1667.8          | 3125            | A                  | ---                                     | 3400                 | ---              |
| REV. 1373.86 | L    | 50'              | 0+80 to 1+30          | Windrow Refusal   | 1667.7          | 300             | A                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1373.85 | L    | 400'             | 0+00 to 4+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1667.7          | 800             | A                  | 1000                                    | ---                  | 240              |
|              |      | 450'             | 6+50 to 11+00         | Composite Revetment   | 1667.6          | 900             | C                  | 1125                                    | ---                  | 270              |
| REV. 1373.70 | L    | 50'              | 1+40 to 1+90          | Windrow Refusal   | 1667.6          | 300             | C                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1373.45 | L    | 50'              | 0+90 to 1+40          | Windrow Refusal   | 1667.5          | 300             | C                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1373.44 | L    | 400'             | 0+00 to 4+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>- Type IV (Tieback<br>Intervals @ 100') | 1667.5          | 440             | C                  | 1800                                    | 1200                 | 240              |
|              |      | 350              | 7+00 to 10+50         | Reinforced Revetment<br>- Type II (Tieback<br>Intervals @ 70')  | 1667.5          | 385             | B                  | 1375                                    | 1050                 | 210              |
| REV. 1373.37 | L    | 50'              | 0+60 to 1+10          | Windrow Refusal   | 1667.5          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-34.



Photo 47. Typical eroding bankline along  
the Knife Point - Part I -  
project area. (Photo taken  
23 May 1980)

Knife Point - Part I - Phase I Area  
Photo 47

11. WILDWOOD (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 8-1. The demonstration project is currently under construction and consists of approximately 300 linear feet of reinforced revetment, two segments totalling 1,150 linear feet of composite revetment, 700 linear feet of windrow revetment and four linear feet 50 windrow refusals. The reinforced revetment is Type II and IV. The windrow revetment is Type A and B. Typical sections of the structural types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. Table 1-49 shows the construction schedule at the Wildwood (Phase I) project. The demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including different windrow material application rates, and alternative revetment tieback and stone toe designs. The average stone application rates for the various structure types are shown in Table 1-46.

Table 1-46

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Application Rate (tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|--|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 6.0  |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5  |
| Windrow Revetment     | 4.0  |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0  |

Tables 1-47 and 1-48 display the specific stone gradations for the various structural components of this project.

Table 1-47

**STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION  
(UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIERBACK, WINDROW REVETMENT  
AND REFUSALS**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <u>GRADATION A</u>                  |  |
| 150 lbs                             | 100  |
| 40 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION B</u>                  |  |
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION C</u>                  |  |
| 250 lbs                             | 100  |
| 60 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-48

**STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION  
(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

A photograph of the typical eroding bankline along the Wildwood  
(Phase I) Project area is shown on Photo 48.

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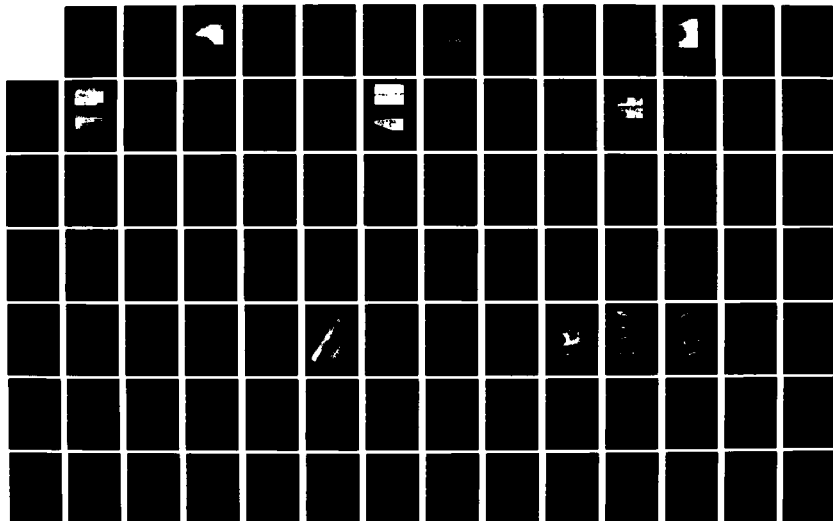
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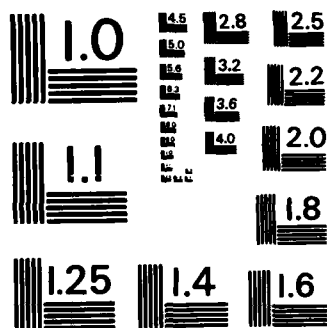
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Table 1-49  
WILDWOOD (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION  | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                    |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |  |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATERL. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REF. 1344.96 | L    | 50'              | 0+40 to 0+90          | Windrow Refusal  | 1648.2          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
| REV. 1344.95 | L    | 150'             | 0+00 to 1+50          | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type II (Tieback<br>Interval at 75') | 1648.2          | 220             | B                  | 675                                     | 450                  | 90               |
|              | L    | 150'             | 1+50 to 3+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type IV (Tieback<br>Interval at 75') | 1648.2          | 220             | B                  | 675                                     | 450                  | 90               |
| REF. 1344.83 | L    | 50'              | 0+30 to 0+80          | Windrow Refusal  | 1648.1          | 300             | C                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
| REV. 1344.82 | L    | 500'             | 0+00 to 5+00          | Composite Revetment  | 1648.1          | 1000            | C                  | 1250                                    | ---                  | 300              |
|              | L    | 650'             | 8+00 to 14+50         | Composite Revetment  | 1648.0          | 1300            | C                  | 1625                                    | ---                  | 390              |
| REF. 1344.73 | L    | 50'              | 0+00 to 0+50          | Windrow Refusal  | 1648.0          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
|              | L    | 50'              | 0+30 to 0+80          | Windrow Refusal  | 1647.8          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
| REV. 1344.50 | L    | 350'             | 0+00 to 3+50          | Windrow Revetment<br>Type A - 4.5 T/LF                       | 1647.8          | 1575            | B                  | ---                                     | 1400                 | ---              |
|              | L    | 350              | 3+50 to 7+00          | Windrow Revetment<br>Type B - 3.5 T/LF                       | 1647.8          | 1225            | B                  | ---                                     | 1225                 | ---              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-37.



Photo 48. Typical eroding bankline along Wildwood -  
Phase I project area. (Photos taken  
22 May 1980)

Wildwood - Phase I Area  
Photo 48

12. PRICE II (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for the project is shown on Plate 11-1. This demonstration project is currently under construction and consists of approximately 400 linear feet of reinforced revetment, 1,400 linear feet of composite revetment in three segments, and four 50 linear feet windrow refusals. The reinforced revetments are types III and V. Typical sections of the structural types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. The demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including alternative revetment tieback and stone toe designs. The average stone application rates for the structure types at this project are shown in Table 1-50.

Table 1-50

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Application Rate (tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|--|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 6.3  |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5  |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0  |

Tables 1-51 and 1-52 display the specific stone gradations.

Table 1-51

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION (UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS, WINDROW REFUSALS

| <u>Weight or Size Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|---------------------------------|--|
|---------------------------------|--|

GRADATION A

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 150 lbs       | 100     |
| 40 lbs        | 30 - 55 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

Table 1-51 (Cont'd)

**STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION  
(UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIERBACKS, WINDROW REFUSALS**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

**GRADATION B**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 200 lbs       | 100     |
| 50 lbs        | 35 - 60 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

**GRADATION C**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 250 lbs       | 100     |
| 60 lbs        | 30 - 55 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

Table 1-52

**STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION  
(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 500 lbs       | 100     |
| 165 lbs       | 35 - 60 |
| 3-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

The construction schedule for this project is shown in Table 1-53.

Table 1-53  
PRICE-PART II (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION  | C.B.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                    |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|--|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |  |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATERL. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REF. 1338.71 | L    | 50'              | 1+70 to 2+20          | Windrow Refusal  | 1643.6          | 300             | A                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
| REV. 1338.70 | L    | 400'             | 0+00 to 4+00          | Composite Revetment  | 1643.6          | 800             | A                  | 1000                                    | ---                  | 240              |
|              | L    | 500'             | 7+00 to 12+00         | Composite Revetment  | 1643.4          | 1000            | A                  | 1250                                    | ---                  | 300              |
|              | L    | 500'             | 15+00 to 20+00        | Composite Revetment  | 1643.3          | 1000            | A                  | 1250                                    | ---                  | 300              |
| REF. 1338.53 | L    | 50'              | 1+35 to 1+85          | Windrow Refusal  | 1643.4          | 300             | A                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
| REF. 1338.3  | L    | 50'              | 1+65 to 2+15          | Windrow Refusal  | 1643.3          | 300             | A                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
| REF. 1338.22 | L    | 50'              | 2+10 to 2+60          | Windrow Refusal  | 1643.2          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
| REV. 1338.21 | L    | 200'             | 0+00 to 2+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type III (Tieback<br>Interval at 100') | 1643.2          | 350             | B                  | 900                                     | 600                  | 120              |
|              |      | 200'             | 2+00 to 4+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type V (Tieback<br>Interval at 100')   | 1643.2          | 350             | B                  | 900                                     | 600                  | 120              |

NOTES: (1) CBP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-40.

13. FORT LINCOLN (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for the project is shown on Plate 16-1. This demonstration project was completed in June 1981 and consists of approximately 900 linear feet of rehabilitated revetment in two segments, 1,250 linear feet of composite revetment in three segments, four 50 linear feet windrow refusals and 5 hardpoint structures totalling 500 linear feet. Typical sections used at this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. Tables 1-57 show the construction schedule at the Fort Lincoln (Phase I) Project. All construction at this project was constructed by floating plant to reduce any upper bank disturbance of the State Park Area in a National Historic Site.

The rehabilitated revetment consisted of adding 1.0 tons of stone per linear foot to the crown of the existing minor protection constructed early in this century. Table 1-54 and 1-55 indicates the specific stone gradations for the various structural components.

Table 1-54

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION (UPPER ZONE), WINDROW REFUSALS, HARDPOINT UPPER PAVING FILL AND ROOT, AND REHABILITATED REVETMENT

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <u>GRADATION A</u>                  |  |
| 150 lbs                             | 100  |
| 40 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION B</u>                  |  |
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION C</u>                  |  |
| 250 lbs                             | 100  |
| 60 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-55

**STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION**  
**(LOWER ZONE)**

| <u>Weight or Size</u><br><u>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight</u><br><u>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|---|--|
| 500 lbs                                   | 100  |
| 165 lbs                                   | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                             | 0 - 15   |

A photograph of the typical eroding bankline along the Fort Lincoln (Phase I) project area is shown on Photo 49.

The average stone material application rate for each structure type constructed at this project is shown in Table 1-56.

Table 1-56

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Material</u><br><u>Application Rate</u><br><u>(tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0   |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.7   |
| Hardpoints            | 6.0   |

Table 1-57  
FORT LINCOLN (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | DAMK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION           | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATER. (TONS) | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES |                  |  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--|----------------------|------------------|--|
|              |      |                  |                       |                       |                 |                 |                    |  | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |  |
| R.P. 1311.01 | R    | 50'              | 3+20 to 3+70          | Windrow Refusal       | 1625.9          | 300             | B                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |  |
| R.V. 1311.0  | R    | 550              | 0+00 to 5+50          | Composite Revetment   | 1625.9          | 1100            | B                  | 1375                                   | ---                  | 330              |  |
| R.V. 1310.77 | R    | 50'              | 2+20 to 2+70          | Windrow Refusal       | 1625.7          | 300             | A                  | ---                                    | ---                  | ---              |  |
| R.V. 1310.76 | R    | 300'             | 0+00 to 3+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1625.7          | 600             | A                  | 750                                    | ---                  | 180              |  |
|              |      | 250'             | 3+00 to 3+50          | Rehabilitated Revet.  | 1625.7          | 250             | A                  | ---                                    | ---                  | 100              |  |
| R.V. 1310.57 |      | 50'              | 0+00 to 0+50          | Windrow Refusal       | 1625.5          | 300             | B                  | ---                                    | ---                  | ---              |  |
| R.V. 1310.56 | R    | 650'             | 0+00 to 6+50          | Rehabilitation Revet. | 1625.5          | 650             | B                  | ---                                    | ---                  | 260              |  |
| R.V. 1310.42 | R    | 50'              | 1+00 to 1+50          | Windrow Refusal       | 1625.5          | 300             | B                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |  |
| R.V. 1310.41 | R    | 400'             | 0+00 to 4+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1625.5          | 800             | B                  | 1200                                   | ---                  | 240              |  |
| MP 1310.25   | R    | 50'              | 1+00 to 1+50          | Stone Root (Type B)   | 1625.4          | 225             | C                  | ---                                    | 250                  | ---              |  |
|              | R    | 50'              | 1+50 to 2+00          | Hardpoint             |                 | 125             | C                  | 250                                    | ---                  | 30               |  |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-43.

(3) The Floating Plant was utilized at all Fort Lincoln construction sites.



Table 1-57 contd.  
FORT LINCOLN (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE  | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION                      | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                    |                      |                  |
|------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|            |      |                  |                       |                                  |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRAINE<br>MATRL. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| WP 1310.19 | R    | 50'              | 0+85 to 1+35          | Stone Root (Type B)<br>Hardpoint | 1625.4          | 225             | C                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
|            | R    | 50'              | 1+35 to 1+85          |                                  |                 | 125             | C                  | 250                                     | ---                  | 30               |
| WP 1310.13 | R    | 50'              | 1+15 to 1+65          | Stone Root (Type B)<br>Hardpoint | 1625.3          | 225             | C                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
|            | R    | 50'              | 1+65 to 2+15          |                                  |                 | 125             | C                  | 250                                     | ---                  | 30               |
| WP 1310.09 | R    | 50'              | 1+00 to 1+50          | Stone Root (Type B)<br>Hardpoint | 1625.3          | 225             | C                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
|            | R    | 50'              | 1+50 to 2+00          |                                  |                 | 125             | C                  | 250                                     | ---                  | 30               |
| WP 1309.94 | R    | 50'              | 1+00 to 0+50          | Stone Root (Type B)<br>Hardpoint | 1625.2          | 225             | C                  | ---                                     | 250                  | ---              |
|            | R    | 50'              | 1+50 to 1+00          |                                  |                 | 125             | C                  | 250                                     | ---                  | 30               |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation  
as defined in Section 11.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and  
weights as defined in Table 1-43.

(3) The Floating Plant was utilized at all Fort Lincoln  
construction sites.



Photo 49. Typical eroding bankline along  
the Fort Lincoln - Phase I  
project area. (Photo taken  
9 October 1980)

Fort Lincoln - Phase I Area  
Photo 49

14. HORSESHOE BUTTE (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for the project is shown on Plate 12-1. This demonstration project was completed in June 1981 and consists of approximately 450 linear feet of reinforced revetment, four segments totalling 1,450 linear feet of composite revetment, 600 linear feet of windrow revetment and six 50 linear feet windrow refusals. The reinforced revetment is Type I and the windrow revetment is Type B. Typical section demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including different windrow material application rates and alternative revetment tieback and stone toe designs, as shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. The construction schedule for this project is shown in Table 1-61. The specific stone gradations used at this site are shown in Tables 1-58 and 1-59.

Table 1-58

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION (UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS, WINDROW REVETMENT AND REFUSALS

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <u>GRADATION A</u>                  |  |
| 150 lbs                             | 100  |
| 40 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION B</u>                  |  |
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35 - 60  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |
| <u>GRADATION C</u>                  |  |
| 250 lbs                             | 100  |
| 60 lbs                              | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                       | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-59

**STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION**  
**(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size</u><br><u>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight</u><br><u>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|---|--|
| 500 lbs                                   | 100  |
| 165 lbs                                   | 35 - 60  |
| 3-inch screen                             | 0 - 15   |

Photos 50 and 51 show typical eroding bankline along the Horseshoe Butte (Phase I) project area.

The average stone material application rate for each structure type constructed at the project is shown in Table 1-60.

Table 1-60

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Material</u><br><u>Application Rate</u><br><u>(tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5   |
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.9   |
| Windrow Revetment     | 6.0   |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0   |

Table 1-61  
HORSESHOE BUTTE (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                    |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATERL. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REF. 1335.60 | R    | 50'              |                       | Windrow Refusal   | 1641.4          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1335.59 | R    | 450'             | 0+00 to 4+50          | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type I (Tieback<br>Interval at 75') | 1641.4          | 640             | B                  | 2000                                    | 1350                 | 270              |
| REF. 1335.47 | R    | 50'              | 1+20 to 1+70          | Windrow Refusal   | 1641.3          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1335.46 | R    | 400'             | 0+00 to 4+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1641.3          | 800             | B                  | 1000                                    | ---                  | 240              |
|              | R    | 300'             | 7+00 to 10+00         | Composite Revetment   | 1641.2          | 600             | B                  | 750                                     | ---                  | 180              |
|              | R    | 350'             | 13+00 to 16+50        | Composite Revetment   | 1641.1          | 700             | B                  | 875                                     | ---                  | 210              |
|              | R    | 400'             | 19+50 to 23+50        | Composite Revetment   | 1641.0          | 800             | B                  | 1000                                    | ---                  | 240              |
| REF. 1335.34 | R    | 50'              | 1+60 to 2+10          | Windrow Refusal   | 1641.2          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REF. 1335.22 | R    | 50'              | 1+50 to 2+00          | Windrow Refusal   | 1641.1          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REF. 1335.10 | R    | 50'              | 1+20 to 1+70          | Windrow Refusal   | 1641.0          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REF. 1334.18 | R    | 50'              | 2+40 to 2+90          | Windrow Refusal   | 1640.4          | 300             | B                  | ---                                     | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1334.17 | R    | 100'             | 0+00 to 3+00          | Windrow Revetment   | 1640.4          | 1350            | B                  | ---                                     | 1200                 | ---              |
|              |      | 300'             | 3+00 to 6+00          | Windrow Revetment   | 1640.4          | 1050            | B                  | ---                                     | 1050                 | ---              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-46.



Photo 50. Typical eroded bankline along upstream portion of the Horseshoe Butte-Phase project area. (Photo taken 9 October 1980)



Photo 51. Typical eroding bankline along Horseshoe Butte-Phase I project area. (Photo taken 9 October 1980)

Horseshoe Butte-Phase I Area  
Photos 50 and 51

15. KNIFE POINT II (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for the project is shown on Plate 2-1. This demonstration project was completed in June 1981 and consists of approximately 1,000 linear feet of reinforced revetment in two segments, 600 linear feet of windrow revetment, three 50 linear feet windrow refusals, and three hardpoint structures totaling 300 linear feet. Typical sections of the structural types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. The reinforced revetments are Types II and IV, and the windrow revetment structural variations include different windrow material application rates and alternative revetment tieback and stone toe designs. Hardpoints are constructed at varying spacing intervals. The average stone application rates for the various structure types at this project are shown in Table 1-62.

Table 1-62

| <u>Structure Types</u> | <u>Average Stone Application Rates (tons/linear feet)</u> |
|------------------------|---|
| Reinforced Revetment   | 5.6   |
| Windrow Revetment      | 6.0   |
| Hardpoints             | 6.0   |
| Windrow Refusal        | 6.0   |

The project area was extended by Modification #1 because of the severity of the erosion downstream of the original construction area. Table 1-65 shows the initial construction schedule at the Knife Point II (Phase I) Project and Table 1-65a shows the modification extending the scope of this project.

Table 1-63

**STONE GRADATION FOR REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS, WINDROW  
REKETMENT AND REFUSALS, HARDPOINT UPPER PAVING FILL AND  
ROOT**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

**GRADATION A**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 150 lbs       | 100     |
| 40 lbs        | 30 - 55 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

**GRADATION B**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 200 lbs       | 100     |
| 50 lbs        | 35 - 60 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

**GRADATION C**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 250 lbs       | 100     |
| 60 lbs        | 30 - 55 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

Table 1-64

**STONE FOR REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 500 lbs       | 100     |
| 165 lbs       | 35 - 60 |
| 3-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

Photos 52 and 53 show typical eroding bankline along the Knife Point - Part II (Phase I) project area.



Table 1-65  
KNIFE POINT-PART II (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | STONE ON<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATERIAL (TONS) | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    |  | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| REV. 1340.26 | R    | 50'              | 1+00 to 1+50          | Windrow Refusal   | 1671.7          | 300             | B                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1340.27 | R    | 500'             | 0+00 to 5+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type II (Tieback<br>Interval at 100') | 1671.7          | 550             | B                  | 2250                                     | 1500                 | 300              |
| REV. 1340.27 | R    | 500'             | 8+00 to 13+00         | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type IV (Tieback<br>Interval at 100') | 1671.6          | 550             | B                  | 2250                                     | 1500                 | 300              |
| REV. 1340.33 | R    | 50'              | 0+10 to 0+60          | Windrow Refusal   | 1671.6          | 300             | B                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1379.97 | R    | 50'              | -0+40 to 0+10         | Windrow Refusal   | 1671.5          | 300             | C                  | ---                                      | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1379.96 | R    | 300'             | 0+00 to 3+00          | Windrow Revetment<br>Type A<br>4.5 tons / -n. Ft.             | 1671.5          | 1350            | C                  | ---                                      | 1200                 | ---              |
|              | R    | 300'             | 3+00 to 6+00          | Windrow Revetment<br>Type B<br>3.5 tons / Ln. Ft.             | 1671.5          | 1050            | C                  | ---                                      | 1050                 | ---              |
| MP 1379.81   | R    | 50'              | -0+10 to 0+40         | Stone Root (Type A)   | 1671.4          | 225             | C                  | ---                                      | 250                  | ---              |
|              | 50'  | 0+40 to 0+90     | Hardpoint             | 1671.4  | 125             | C               | C                  | 250                                      | ---                  | 30               |
| MP 1379.78   | R    | 50'              | -0+50 to 0+00         | Stone Root (Type A)   | 1671.4          | 225             | A                  | ---                                      | 250                  | ---              |
|              | 50'  | 0+00 to 50+00    | Hardpoint             | 1671.4  | 125             | A               | A                  | 250                                      | 30                   | ---              |
| MP 1379.75   | R    | 50'              | -0+20 to 0+30         | Stone Root (Type A)   | 1671.3          | 225             | B                  | ---                                      | 250                  | ---              |
|              | 50'  | 0+30 to 0+80     | Hardpoint             | 1671.3  | 125             | B               | B                  | 250                                      | ---                  | 30               |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section 11.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-49.

Table 1-65a  
KNIFE POINT-PART II (PHASE I)  
MODIFICATION NO. 1

| STRUCTURE    | BANK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.B.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES                   |                      |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    | STONE OR<br>LOW-GRADE<br>MATER. (TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| HP 1379.72   | R    | 50'              | -0+10 to 0+40         | Stone Root (Type A)   | 1671.3          | 225             | B                  | ---                                    | 250                  | ---              |
|              |      | 75'              | 0+40 to 1+15          | Hardpoint   | 1671.3          | 190             | B                  | 375                                    | ---                  | 40               |
| HP 1379.69   | R    | 50'              | 0+00 to 0+50          | Stone Root (Type A)   | 1671.2          | 225             | C                  | ---                                    | 250                  | ---              |
|              |      | 100'             | 0+50 to 1+50          | Hardpoint   | 1671.2          | 250             | C                  | 500                                    | ---                  | 50               |
| REV. 1379.08 | R    | 50'              | 0+20 to 0+70          | Windrow Refusal   | 1670.6          | 300             | B                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1379.07 | R    | 250'             | 0+00 to 2+50          | Reinforced Revetment<br>(Type IV) (Tieback<br>Interval at 125') | 1670.6          | 220             | C                  | 1125                                   | 750                  | 175              |
|              |      | 250'             | 2+50 to 5+00          | Reinforced Revetment<br>(Type II) (Tieback<br>Interval at 125') | 1670.6          | 220             | C                  | 1125                                   | 750                  | 175              |
| REV. 1378.96 | R    | 50'              | 0+15 to 0+65          | Windrow Refusal   | 1670.5          | 300             | B                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1378.95 | R    | 600'             | 0+00 to 6+00          | Composite Revetment   | 1670.5          | 1200            | C                  | 1500                                   | ---                  | 320              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation  
as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and  
weights as defined in Table 1-49.



Photo 52. Typical eroding bankline along upstream portion of the project area. (Photo taken 8 October 1980)



Photo 53. Typical eroding bankline along downstream portion of the project area. (Photo taken 18 July 1980)

Knife Point-Part II-Phase I Area  
Photos 52 and 53

16. HANCOCK (PHASE I) PROJECT. The general plan for the project is shown on Plate 1-1. This demonstration project was completed in August 1981 and consists of two segments totalling approximately 900 linear feet of reinforced revetment, 900 linear feet of composite revetment in two segments, and four 50 linear feet windrow refusals. The reinforced revetments are Types II and IV. Typical sections of the structured types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2, 1-3 and 1-4. The demonstration aspects of the project incorporate revetment structural variations including alternative revetment tieback and stone toe designs. The average stone material application rate for the various structure types constructed at this project are shown in Table 1-66.

Table 1-66

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Average Stone Application Rate (tons/linear feet)</u> |
|-----------------------|--|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 2.8  |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.5  |
| Windrow Refusal       | 6.0  |

Table 1-69 shows the construction schedule for the Hancock (Phase I) Project.

Tables 1-67 and 1-68 display the specific stone gradations for various structural components of this project.

Table 1-67

STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION (UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS, WINDROW AND REFUSALS

| <u>Weight or Size Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|---------------------------------|--|
| <u>GRADATION A</u>              |  |
| 150 lbs                         | 100  |
| 40 lbs                          | 30 - 55  |
| 2-inch screen                   | 0 - 15   |

Table 1-67 (Cont'd)

**STONE GRADATION FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, SMALL GRADATION  
(UPPER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TIEBACKS, WINDROW  
AND REFUSALS**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

**GRADATION B**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 200 lbs       | 100     |
| 50 lbs        | 35 - 60 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

**GRADATION C**

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 250 lbs       | 100     |
| 60 lbs        | 30 - 55 |
| 2-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

Table 1-68

**STONE FOR COMPOSITE REVETMENT TOE, LARGE GRADATION  
(LOWER ZONE), REINFORCED REVETMENT TOE**

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
|-------------------------------------|--|

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| 500 lbs       | 100     |
| 165 lbs       | 35 - 60 |
| 3-inch screen | 0 - 15  |

A photograph of a typical eroding bankline along the Hancock  
(Phase I) project area is shown on Photo 54.

Table 1-69  
HANCOCK (PHASE I)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

| SECTION      | NAME | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION   | C.R.P.<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | STONE<br>GRADATION | STONE OR<br>LOW GRADE<br>MATER. (TONS) | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES |                  |
|--------------|------|------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--|----------------------|------------------|
|              |      |                  |                       |   |                 |                 |                    |  | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) |
| SEF. 1305.73 | R    | 50'              | 1+75 to 2+25          | Widened Refusal   | 1674.2          | 300             | A                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1305.72 | R    | 200'             | 0+00 to 2+00          | Reinforced Retement<br>Type II (Tieback<br>Interval at 100')              | 1674.2          | 220             | A                  | 900                                    | 600                  | 120              |
|              | R    | 200'             | 2+00 to 4+00          | Type IV (Tieback<br>Interval at 100')                                     |                 |                 |                    |  |                      |                  |
| SEF. 1305.50 | R    | 50'              | 1+75 to 2+25          | Widened Refusal   | 1674.1          | 300             | A                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1305.57 | R    | 400'             | 0+00 to 4+00          | Composite Retement  | 1674.1          | 800             | A                  | 1000                                   | ---                  | 240              |
| SEF. 1304.60 | R    | 50'              | 5+50 to 6+40          | Widened Refusal   | 1673.7          | 300             | B                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1304.59 | R    | 500'             | 0+00 to 5+00          | Composite Retement  | 1673.7          | 1000            | B                  | 1250                                   | ---                  | 100              |
| SEF. 1304.45 | R    | 50'              | 5+50 to 6+00          | Widened Refusal   | 1673.6          | 300             | C                  | ---                                    | 300                  | ---              |
| REV. 1304.44 | R    | 250'             | 0+00 to 2+50          | Reinforced Retement <sup>1</sup><br>Type IV (Tieback<br>Interval at 125') | 1673.6          | 220             | C                  | 1125                                   | 750                  | 150              |
|              | R    | 250'             | 2+50 to 5+00          | Reinforced Retement <sup>1</sup><br>Type II (Tieback<br>Interval at 125') | 1673.6          | 220             | C                  | 1125                                   | 750                  | 150              |

NOTES: (1) CRP refers to the Construction Reference Plane elevation as defined in Section II.B.1.b.

(2) Stone Gradations A, B, and C refer to stone sizes and weights as defined in Table 1-52.



Photo 54. Typical severely eroding bankline along Hancock-Phase I project. (Photo taken 18 July 1980)

Hancock-Phase I Area  
Photo 54

**D. COSTS.** A summary of the total costs (including Construction, Engineering and Design, Supervision and Administration, Monitoring and Rehabilitation) at each project site between Garrison Dam and Lake Oahe is as follows:

| <u>Project Area</u>        | <u>Costs (\$000)</u> |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Sandstone Bluff I and II   | \$1,128              |
| Lewis and Clark 4-H Camp   | 278                  |
| Sanger                     | 376                  |
| Eagle Park                 | 696                  |
| Burnt Creek                | 631                  |
| I-94 Highway               | 1,228                |
| Pretty Point (Phase I)     | 305*                 |
| Price I (Phase I)          | 559*                 |
| Coal Lake Couler (Phase I) | 310*                 |
| Knife Point I (Phase I)    | 369*                 |
| Wildwood (Phase I)         | 307*                 |
| Price II (Phase I)         | 238*                 |
| Fort Lincoln (Phase I)     | 319*                 |
| Horseshoe Butte (Phase I)  | 407*                 |
| Knief Point II (Phase I)   | 332*                 |
| Hancock (Phase I)          | 209*                 |

\*Pre-Construction Estimate



#### IV-PERFORMANCE OF PROTECTION

##### A. MONITORING PROGRAM

The monitoring program for all projects in this reach contain several common items: bankline location surveys; overbank/streambank cross sections; velocity measurements; controlled aerial photography; ground level photographs; and qualitative structural changes. The specific monitoring schedules for each site were developed immediately after the contracts were awarded. The site specific monitoring data obtained is discussed in paragraph 3 of this section.

A lump sum bid item, "Monitoring and Documentation", was included in the construction contracts and consisted of special cross sections and photography taken before, during, and after construction.

##### 1. CROSS SECTIONS.

a. Eagle Park demonstration area cross sections were obtained at intervals described below for each structure type.

(1) Hardpoints: Root sections, 25 feet or less (three minimum) oriented perpendicular to the root alignment; and one along the structure alignment or centerline from the landward end of the root and extending riverward past the terminus of the hardpoint spur.

(2) Composite and Windrow Revetment: Fifty feet intervals or less (with 1 at each end), oriented perpendicular to the river bank.

(3) Tree Retard Roots: One parallel and one perpendicular to the bankline.

b. Cross sections were obtained at the intervals described below for each structure type where applicable at the following listed demonstration sites:

Sandstone Bluff I & II  
Lewis and Clark 4-H Camp

(1) Hardpoints: Root sections, 25 feet or less (2 minimum) oriented perpendicular to the root alignment; and one following the structure alignment or centerline from the landward end of the root and extending riverward past the terminus of the hardpoint spur.

(2) Reinforced Revetment: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the construction schedule. Sections were oriented perpendicular to the structure alignment.

(3) Windrow Revetment: Two hundred feet, oriented perpendicular to the structure alignment.

(4) Windrow Refusals: One oriented along the refusal alignment; and two located at the one-third points, oriented perpendicular to the refusal.

c. Cross sections were obtained at the intervals described below for each structure type where applicable at the following listed demonstration sites:

Sanger  
I-94  
Burnt Creek  
Pretty Point (Phase I)  
Price I (Phase I)

Coal Lake Coulee (Phase I)  
Knife Point I (Phase I)  
Wildwood (Phase I)  
Price II (Phase I)  
Fort Lincoln (Phase I)  
Horseshoe Butte (Phase I)  
Knife Point II (Phase I)  
Hancock (Phase I)

(1) Hardpoints: One section following the structure alignment or centerline from the landward end of the structure and extending riverward to the terminus of the hardpoint spur.

(2) Windrow Revetment: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the Construction Schedule. Each section was oriented perpendicular to the structure alignment.

(3) Reinforced Revetment: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the Construction Schedule. Each cross section shall coincide with the centerline of the nearest tie-back consistent with the above criteria.

(4) Windrow Refusals: One section oriented along the refusal centerline.

(5) Composite Revetment: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the Construction Schedule and oriented perpendicular to the structure alignment.

(6) Inter-Structure Gap: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section located at the midpoint of the gap. Each section was oriented approximately perpendicular to the flow.

(7) Rehabilitated Revetment: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the Construction Schedule. Each section shall be oriented perpendicular to the structure alignment.

(8) Earth Core Dikes: One hundred feet or less oriented perpendicular to the structure centerline from the landward end of the root extending riverward to the terminus of the dike. (This type structure used at Burnt Creek and Sanger Projects only.)

Each cross-section was monumented by the contractor to allow single re-establishment of the cross-section location to within two feet of its original position at any time within five years after construction has been completed. A recording sonic sounder which produced a continuous strip chart recording was required by the contract specifications to complete cross-sections across water areas. A set of complete cross-sections was taken prior to any construction activity. Partial or complete sections were obtained to accurately document the following construction activities.

## 2. PHOTOGRAPHY.

a. Photography requirements as described below were required at the Eagle Park Project.

(1) Windrow Revetment: Photographs were obtained of the upstream end and at 500-foot intervals for each revetment segment longer than 1,000 feet. For revetment segments less than 1,000 feet in length, photographs were obtained for the upstream and downstream ends and at the midpoint of the segment. All photographs, except at the downstream end, are oriented in the downstream direction; and at the downstream end, they are oriented upstream. The photographs were

taken prior to any clearing, excavation, stone placement and backfilling; and after backfilling and grading.

(2) Composite Revetment: The location of photography for Composite Revetment is the same as specified in "Windrow Revetment." The photographs were taken before any clearing, before and after excavation of the upper bank slope, and after placement of stone and upper bank paving. A photograph of the upper bank paving was obtained at each location with the detail and dimensional reference as specified in "Material Acquisition Sites."

(3) Hardpoints: Photographs were obtained at each hardpoint location. The photographs include the bankline prior to construction; the root trench after excavation; the completed structure, taken along the structure azimuth line; and the structure and downstream bankline, taken parallel to the bankline.

(4) Tree Retards: Photographs were obtained for each tree retard system. Photos included the bankline prior to any clearing; each "tree" and root and adjacent bankline immediately after placement; and the retard system and downstream bankline, taken parallel to the bank.

(5) Material Acquisition Sites: Photographs were obtained of the rock and gravel when stockpiled for each gradation test, at the quarry site and the jobsite. The photographs provide sufficient detail to permit differentiation of the individual stone sizes. The field of view shall include a 1-foot (minimum) interval of a rod, graduated to tenths-of-feet, or smaller, for dimensional reference.

b. Photography requirements as described below were required at the following demonstration sites.

Sandstone Bluff I and II  
Lewis and Clark 4-H Camp Area  
Sanger

(1) Hardpoints: Photographs were obtained at each hardpoint location. The photographs include the bankline prior to construction; the completed structure, taken along the structure alignment; and the structure and the downstream bankline, taken parallel to the bankline.

(2) Reinforced Revetment: Photographs were obtained of the upstream end and at 500-foot intervals for each revetment segment longer than 1,000 feet. For revetment segments between 1,000 and 500 feet in length, photographs shall be obtained for the upstream end and at the midpoint of the segment. For revetment segments 500 feet, or less in length, photographs were obtained at the upstream end and all photographs were oriented in the downstream direction. The photographs were taken prior to any construction; prior to application of the bank zone treatments; and after structure completion. Photos were taken from the same vantage point for each series of photos.

(3) Earth Core Dikes: Photographs were obtained at each earth core dike location. The photographs include the bankline prior to construction; the completed structure, taken along the structure baseline; the structure and downstream bankline taken parallel to the bankline; and the structure and upstream bankline, taken parallel to the bankline.

(4) Windrow Revetment: Photographs were obtained of the upstream end and at 500-foot intervals for each revetment segment longer than 1,000 feet. For revetment segments between 1,000 and 500 feet in length, photographs were obtained for the upstream end and at the midpoint of the segment. For revetment segments 500 feet or less in length, photographs were obtained at the upstream end and all photographs were oriented in the downstream direction. The photographs were taken prior

to any construction; then prior to application of the bank zone treatments; and then after structure completion. Photos were taken from the same vantage point for each series of photos.

(5) Material Acquisition Sites: Photographs shall be obtained of the rock and gravel when stockpiled for each gradation test, at the quarry site and the jobsite. The photographs shall provide sufficient detail to permit differentiation of the individual stone sizes. The field of view shall include a 1-foot (minimum) interval of a rod, graduated to tenths-of-feet, or smaller, for dimensional reference.

c. Photography requirements as described below were required at the following listed demonstration sites:

I-94 Area  
Burnt Creek  
Pretty Point (Phase I)  
Price I (Phase I)  
Coal Lake Coulee (Phase I)  
Knife Point I (Phase I)  
Wildwood (Phase I)  
Price II (Phase I)  
Fort Lincoln (Phase I)  
Horseshoe Butte (Phase I)  
Knife Point II (Phase I)  
Hancock (Phase I)

Black and white photographs of preselected, representative structures, consisted of three photographs for each selected structure: one taken prior to construction work, one taken during construction, and one taken after construction is complete.

(1) Material Acquisition Sites: Photographs were obtained of the rock and gravel when stockpiled for each gradation test, at the quarry site and the jobsite. The photographs shall provide sufficient

detail to permit differentiation of the individual particles. The field of view included a 1-foot (minimum) interval of a rod, graduated to tenths-of-feet, or smaller, for dimensional reference.

(2) Revetment: Each revetment had photographs taken from a station 100 feet upstream from the upstream end of the segment. Also, photographs were obtained at the upstream end and at 500-foot intervals for each revetment segment longer than 1,000 feet. For revetment segments between 1,000 and 500 feet in length, photographs were obtained at the upstream end and at the midpoint of the segment. For revetment segments 500 feet or less in length, photographs were obtained at the upstream end. The photographs were taken prior to any construction and after structure completion. Photos were taken from the same vantage point for each pair of photos and all photos were obtained in the downstream direction.

(3) Hardpoints and Earth Core Dikes: Photographs were obtained at each hardpoint and earth core dike location. The photographs included the bankline prior to construction; the completed structure, taken along the structure azimuth line; the structure and downstream bankline, taken parallel to the bankline; and the structure and upstream bankline, taken parallel to the bankline.

### 3. SITE SPECIFIC MONITORING DATA OBTAINED.

The following project areas have been individually monitored with the listed items for each project area obtained to assist in site and structure evaluations.

#### a. Eagle Park

\*Bankline location surveys were obtained in June 1976, May 1979 and July 1980.

\*Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in June 1976 and May 1979.



- Velocity measurements were obtained in April 1977, October 1977, May 1978 and July 1979.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980 and colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Present bankline location is shown on Plate 13-1.
- Comparative average velocity profiles are shown on Plates 13-9 and 13-10.
- An evaluation of Eagle Park Area near bank soils was completed in December 1976, and the results of the analysis are shown in Table 1-6.

**b. Sandstone Bluff I and II**

- Bankline location survey was obtained in May 1978.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in September 1976 and May 1978.
- Velocity measurements were obtained in October 1977.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980 and colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Preconstruction bankline and present bankline location are shown on Plates 4-1 and 4-2.
- Comparative average velocity profiles are shown on Plates 4-12 and 4-13.
- An evaluation of Sandstone Bluff near bank soils was completed in December 1976, and the results of the analysis are shown in figure 1-6.

**c. Lewis and Clark 4-H Camp Area**

- Bankline location surveys were obtained in July 1976 and May 1978.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in May and November 1978.
- Velocity measurements were obtained in May 1978.
- Preconstruction bankline and present bankline location is shown on Plate 6-1.

- Comparative average velocity profiles are shown on Plate 6-4.
- An evaluation of Lewis and Clark 4-H Camp Area near bank soils was done in December 1976. The results are shown in Table 1-6.

**d. Sanger**

- Bankline location surveys were obtained in August 1978 and February 1980.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in August 1978.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980 and colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Present bankline location is on Plate 7-1.

**e. Burnt Creek**

- Bankline location survey was obtained in June 1979.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in August 1978 and July 1980.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Present bankline location is shown on Plate 14-1.

**f. I-94**

- Bankline location surveys were obtained in August 1978, April 1979 and January 1981.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in August 1978 and April 1979.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Present bankline location is shown on Plates 15-1 and 15-2.

**g. Pretty Point (Phase I)**

- Bankline location survey was obtained in November 1979.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in November 1979.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Preconstruction bankline is shown on Plate 9-1.

**h. Price I (Phase I)**

- Bankline location survey was obtained in November 1979.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in November 1979.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Present bankline location is shown on Plates 10-1 and 10-2.

**i. Coal Lake Coulee (Phase I)**

- Bankline location survey was completed in March 1980.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in November 1979.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980 and colored photography in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.
- Present bankline locations are shown on Plate 5-1.

**j. Knife Point I (Phase I)**

- Bankline location survey was completed in April 1980.
- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in April 1980.
- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photographs taken in October 1980.
- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.

•Preconstruction bankline location is shown on Plate 3-1.

**k. Wildwood (Phase I)**

•Bankline location survey was completed in March 1980.

•Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in March 1980.

•Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photography taken in October 1980.

•Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.

•Preconstruction bankline location is shown on Plate 8-1.

**l. Price II (Phase I)**

•Bankline location survey was completed in April 1980.

•Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in March 1980.

•Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, and colored photography in October 1980.

•Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.

•Preconstruction bankline location is shown on Plate 11-1.

**m. Fort Lincoln (Phase I)**

•Bankline location survey was completed in March 1980.

•Overbank/Streambank cross sections were completed in March 1980.

•Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, and colored photography in October 1980.

•Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.

•Preconstruction bankline location is shown on Plate 16-1.

**n. Horseshoe Butte (Phase I)**

•Bankline location survey was completed in April 1980.

•Overbank/Streambank cross sections were completed in April 1980.

•Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photographs taken in October 1980.

- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.

- Preconstruction bankline location is shown on Plate 12-1.

**o. Knife Point II (Phase I)**

- Bankline location survey was completed in December 1979.

- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were completed in December 1979.

- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980, with colored photography in October 1980.

- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.

- Preconstruction bankline location is shown on Plate 2-1.

**p. Hancock (Phase I)**

- Bankline location survey was completed in February 1979.

- Overbank/Streambank cross sections were obtained in December 1979.

- Controlled black and white aerial photography was taken in May 1978, April 1980 and October 1980 when colored photographs were taken.

- Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.

- Preconstruction bankline location is shown on Plate 1-1.

**B. EVALUATION OF PROTECTION PERFORMANCE**

**1. SANDSTONE BLUFF I AND II PROJECT.** This project is composed of 32 segments of reinforced revetment of various designs, one segment of windrow revetment and five hardpoints, all completed by December 1978, shown on general plan Plates 4-1 and 4-2.

**a. Channel Characteristics.** All revetment segments at this area are performing excellently along a portion of the river characterized by split channel flows. The flows through the left bank channel are

concentrated along the bankline in the downstream portion of the project area as shown on Plates 4-1 and 4-2. The channel bed character within 25 feet of water's edge along the left bank is very irregular with depths ranging from 3 feet to 11 feet. The underwater bank slope in May 1978 varied considerably from 1V on 2H up to 1V on 14H.

**b. Significant Observations.**

(1) The concentration of flows along the project area has resulted in erosion of the unprotected bankline between revetment segments as shown on Plates 4-1 and 4-2. The interstructure erosion has developed to such an extent that several windrow refusal structures are in danger of being flanked. Rehabilitation to extend the length of these refusals will be completed in the summer of 1981.

(2) The tieback spacings on the reinforced revetment segments vary at 50 feet, 80 feet and 100 feet intervals. However, the structures have not experienced sufficiently high flows to adequately test the tieback spacing.

(3) The single windrow revetment segment has begun to function as designed and it appears the material application rate of 4.5 tons of stone per linear foot should be adequate for the structure to reach a stable condition.

**c. Recommendations.**

(1) The crown elevation of the segmented reinforced revetment toefills could be lowered 2 feet allowing better utilization of the tieback portion of the structure. Since the tiebacks have not as yet been tested, a recommendation on the spacing interval cannot be determined.

(2) The lengths of the unprotected bankline between structure segments is dependent upon river conditions but should not exceed 350 feet or be smaller than 200 feet.

(3) The required length of the windrow refusal located at the upstream end of each revetment segment varies between 30 and 75 feet and is dependent on channel conditions and the length of the designed unprotected bankline between segments.

2. LEWIS AND CLARK 4-H CAMP PROJECT. This project consists of three reinforced revetment segments and three hardpoint structures which were completed in November 1978 as shown on the Construction Program Table 1-15.

**a. Significant Observations.**

(1) All structures at this area have performed excellently. The large gap in the middle of the project area, as shown on Plate 6-1, where a construction easement right-of-way could not be obtained, has not suffered significant erosion since completion.

(2) Overall, the entire project area has experienced only minor flow attack since structure completion and therefore the structures have not been adequately tested.

**b. Recommendations.**

(1) The toe fill crown elevation of each reinforced revetment segment is too high and could be lowered 2 feet allowing tiebacks to function under normal flows.

(2) No recommendations on the tieback spacing can be made due to their lack of direct exposure to channel flows.

(3) Project areas where a very large unprotected bankline area is necessary, as at the Lewis and Clark 4-H Camp, should be avoided because erosion in the unprotected area could ultimately destroy the integrity of the entire project as an erosion protection system.

3. SANGER PROJECT. This project consists of an earth core dike approximately 1,500 feet in length, constructed in November, 1979. The design of the lone earth core dike structure incorporated riverine habitat enhancement which has been widely accepted by State and Federal Fish and Wildlife agencies. The structure has halted the erosion along 4,000 linear feet of bankline previously experiencing relatively severe erosion. Minimal disturbance to the entire 4,000 linear feet of upper bank area adjacent to the bankline was an integral part in the design of this project to avoid an adverse impact of timber clearing along the bankline where "Smith Grove" is located. This grove of timber contains a significant number of very large trees, including the largest cottonwood tree in North Dakota; therefore, the area is considered a significant historic site by local interests in North Dakota.

a. Sanger Area Vegetation Program.

(1) The revegetation planting at this site was undertaken on a portion of the 1,500 foot earth core dike structure 1345.5, as shown on Plate 7-7. There were 2,600 woody plantings placed on the earth core dike, riverward of the environmental gap, and on the downstream side of the dike. The original plan called for approximately 4,700 individual woody plants but was reduced because of lack of suitable planting area left by the contractor who constructed the dike. Conditions also precluded any planting of herbaceous material.

The woody species used were:



| COMMON NAME      | SCIENTIFIC NAME                   |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Green Ash        | <u>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</u>     |
| Goldentop Willow | <u>Salix lutea var. vitellina</u> |
| Peachleaf Willow | <u>Salix amygdaloides</u>         |
| Cottonwood       | <u>Populus deltoides</u>          |
| Russian Olive    | <u>Elaeagnus angustifolia</u>     |
| Buffaloberry     | <u>Shepherdia argentea</u>        |

In addition, 8,000 containerized plugs of reed-canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*) were planted at the land-water interface of the downstream side of the bank.

(2) Each woody plant was planted in the zone of the earth core and the hole filled with soil obtained from the riverbank. Each plant was fertilized with slow release fertilizer pellets and each plant was hand watered. In addition, a 4-inch irrigation pipe and gasoline powered pump were also installed for periodic watering of the plantings.

(3) A combination of woody species and herbaceous species were chosen for site selection and hardiness for the North Dakota climate. The woody materials were of bare root stock and were procured from the North Dakota Forest Service Nursery at Towner, North Dakota and from the Lincoln-Oakes Nursery at Bismarck, North Dakota. The herbaceous materials were of 1" x 6" plugs grown in the greenhouse of the North Dakota Forest Service Nursery at Towner, North Dakota. In addition, grass seed mixtures were broadcast over selected planting sites.

#### **b. Significant Observations.**

(1) The earth core dike, 1345.5, constructed at the Sanger Area has functioned exceptionally well in eliminating the erosion along 4,000 linear feet of bankline at a very reasonable cost.

(2) Construction required only upper bank disturbance to 3 acres of a nearby brushy hillside, where the borrow material was obtained. Clearing to provide access to the structure location was not required due to an existing clearing through the timbered bankline.

(3) The low section in the structure was designed to allow limited flow through and behind the structure supporting the creation of a riverine habitat backwater area. This low elevation notch has functioned reasonably well.

(4) The vegetation planted on the dike has definitely improved the aesthetics. It is too soon to determine if the vegetation will provide erosion control on the structure area above the normal water surface. Final survival counts taken on third week of August, 1980, 3 months after planting, showed a survival count of 82%. The woody species showed growth heights up to 3 feet. The grass mixture covered the entire top of the dike. The reed-canary grass containerized plugs showed promise with laterals beginning to develop by the first week of August. The downstream bank was planted quite heavily with a mixture of woody species and showed a survival count of 86%.

(5) Overall, this earth core dike structure has been a tremendous success and has been very well accepted. It is the most economical structure type per foot of bankline protected, demonstrated by the Omaha District at Sanger at a cost of \$60 per linear foot of bankline protected.

**c. Recommendations.**

(1) The use of an earth core dike is only appropriate for particular situations, and therefore each area must be carefully evaluated to determine the possible detrimental effects to other bankline areas prior to construction. The structure type is recommended for

use only when channel depths are less than 7 feet below the normal water surface (50% flow elevation) and should be constructed during average to low flows. Deeper conditions will require a greater volume of materials and significantly increases the difficulty of construction.

(2) A low elevation notch (constructed at the normal water surface elevation) can be used to mitigate the environmental effects of the earth core dike.

(3) The crown of the dike should be constructed 5 feet above normal water surface on a major river to withstand very high discharges and possible ice damage. The landward end of the structure should contain a stone root (50 to 70 feet) extending into the bank to protect the structure against outflanking. The landward end of the dike should also contain some type of barrier (fence, large stone boulders, etc.) to restrict public vehicular traffic which could damage the structure. Vegetation treatment is also recommended for the crown of the dike, to provide future wildlife habitat cover, and to provide erosion control for the structure.

#### 4. EAGLE PARK PROJECT.

##### a. Detailed Channel Characteristics (by ranges as shown on Plate 13-1).

(1) Range 1 through 15: This area had experienced severe erosion for several years prior to initial construction in 1977. The large sandbars near the center of the channel had directed the majority of the channel floors along the left bank. The average channel depth within 50 feet of the bank has remained at about 9 feet since the initial hydrograph obtained in April 1977. The maximum velocities along this area range between 3 and 4 feet per second.

(2) **Range 16 through 22:** Between April 1977 and July 1979, the channel conditions along the windrow revetment segments changed considerably. The average depth within 50 feet of the water's edge along ranges 20 through 22 increased from about 10 feet in 1977 up to 16-17 feet in 1979; however, the maximum velocities remained above 4 feet per second.

(3) **Range 23 through 58:** No velocity data is available for this area prior to July 1979. However, field evaluations have shown that between ranges 23 and 30 very severe bed scour caused significant increases in channel depth which resulted in damage to completed windrow revetment structures. The remaining area downstream of range 30 remained fairly uniform with higher velocities away from the eroding bank.

**b. Significant Observations.**

(1) **Range 1 through 15:** The portion of the project, between range 6 and 15, was initially protected by only one hardpoint and one tree retard system. The tree retard system, as described in Section III, paragraph B.5., did not withstand one season before it totally failed and was replaced by hardpoints. Both beaver damage and ice movement appeared to cause the tree retard failure. Due to severe erosion conditions upstream of the initial construction, a large segment of bankline revetment and another hardpoint was constructed in November 1977, with an additional segment of bankline revetment constructed in August 1978. Also, in August 1978 the tree retards were replaced with hardpoints and a 300-foot segment of bankline revetment was constructed. To date, this portion of the project area composed of several different structure types has functioned very well.

(2) **Range 16 through 31:** This portion of the Eagle Park Area is protected by five segments of windrow revetment, each approximately

440 feet long. The three downstream segments completely failed due to very deep high velocity flows causing rapid bed scour along the structure toe. In addition, the stone material placed in the structure was much larger than designed with  $W_{50}$  of approximately 300 pounds instead of 50 pounds and  $W_{100}$  of up to 800 pounds instead of 200 pounds. The initial downstream three segments of windrow revetment composed of 3.8 tons/linear foot of structure were replaced in October 1979 by three segments of windrow revetment at 2.3 tons/linear foot of stone which was reasonably well graded with a  $W_{50}$  of only 50 pounds. These structures are presently functioning as designed.

(3) **Range 32 through 46:** This portion of the project area is protected by one hardpoint at the upstream end and a total of 2,200 feet of composite revetment. These structures are all functioning very well in eliminating the erosion. These composite revetment segments are unique to this reach because they contain variations to the upper bank not demonstrated anywhere else. The various upper bank treatments include: filter cloth and gravel; gravel and rolled clay; and gravel and installed vegetation.

(4) **Range 47 through 54:** Initial construction had these hardpoints constructed at 800-foot spacings. However, soon after construction it was determined that the unprotected gaps were excessively large and in July 1978, three additional hardpoints were constructed. The present condition is stable, however, they remain to be adequately tested.

#### **c. Recommendations.**

(1) Windrow revetment construction should be monitored very closely to insure placement of reasonably well graded stone material which does not exceed a  $W_{100}$  of 200 pounds, where river conditions are similar to those encountered at the Eagle Park Area.

(2) Hardpoint spacings should not exceed 250 feet where flows could directly attach the bankline area. The structure spaced at 400 feet gaps at the downstream portion of the project have functioned well to date. However, they have not been adequately demonstrated and could be damaged under an extended period of direct flow due to channel configuration changes.

(3) All types of composite have functioned equally well. The toe design appears to contain adequate quantities of stone material to maintain stability. All upper bank areas have revegetated very well.

(4) Project areas should be closely monitored both during construction and after construction to insure accurate placement of materials and that the demonstration structures perform adequately.

(5) Tree Retards, as designed and constructed at the Eagle Park Area, are not a successful method of erosion control in North Dakota or in regions susceptible to ice formation. Also, the timber used should be treated or protected in some way (i.e. chicken wire) to resist immediate damage from beavers.

5. BURNT CREEK PROJECT. This project site includes several different types of erosion control protection including hardpoints, reinforced revetment, composite revetment, windrow revetment and earth core dikes. Completion of this project was in June 1980 and therefore has not been in place long enough to be completely evaluated.

a. Burnt Creek Area Vegetation Program.

(1) The vegetation planting at this site was done on the two earth core dikes (Dike 1321.15 and Dike 1320.8) and on the upper bank area adjacent to a Revetment 1320.70, as shown on Plates 14-8 and 14-9.

Along these areas, 3,800 individual woody plants were planted in rows and clump type plantings.

The species planted were:

| <u>COMMON NAME</u> | <u>SCIENTIFIC NAME</u>        |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| Cottonwood         | <i>Populus deltoides</i>      |
| Green Ash          | <i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> |
| Russian Olive      | <i>Elaeagnus angustifolia</i> |
| Buffaloberry       | <i>Shepherdia argentea</i>    |
| Red-Osier Dogwood  | <i>Cornus stolonifera</i>     |
| Golden Willow      | <i>Salix alba vitelina</i>    |
| Hackberry          | <i>Celtis occidentalis</i>    |
| Ponderosa Pine     | <i>Pinus ponderosa</i>        |

(2) In addition to the woody materials, 8,000 containerized plugs of reed-canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*) and slender-western wheatgrass (*Agropyron trachycalum* and *Agropyron smithii*) were planted at the land/water interface and at the upper edge of the bank area itself. A grass seed mixture was also broadcast over appropriate planting sites.

**b. Significant Observations.**

(1) All structures at the Burnt Creek Area have functioned exceptionally well in eliminating the erosion along a previously severely eroding bankline.

(2) The low elevation notch in the two earth core dike structures designed to allow limited flow through and behind the structure to support the creation of a riverine habitat backwater area have not functioned very well with the downstream areas mainly silted-in.

(3) The vegetation planted on the dikes have significantly improved the aesthetics. Sufficiently high flows have not been experienced to determine if the vegetation will provide erosion control on the structure area above the normal water surface. Final survival counts taken on the third week of August, 1980, 3 months after planting, showed the ponderosa pine suffered extensive damage by vehicles and were not included in a survival count as no live ones were found in the August count. The two earth core dikes had a survival count in the third week of August of 76%. The upper bank area had a survival count of 78%. The grass seed mixture showed excellent growth on the upper bank area. The unprotected area between structure segments are all approximately 300 feet in length and are functioning very well.

6. I-94 HIGHWAY PROJECT. This very large project was completed in September 1980. To date the entire project has functioned as designed; however, the short time period since completion is insufficient to evaluate the effectiveness of individual structure segments.

The unique demonstration of using broken soil-cement in-lieu-of low grade natural material has been a success so far. The material testing following the fabrication process showed the material was of excellent quality capable of withstanding the extreme North Dakota weather conditions. However, the winter of 1980-1981 was relatively mild and therefore was not a normal field test for this material. The quality of the soil-cement is very dependent upon the percent of cement content and proper quality control. Difficulty was encountered in determining the cement content to be used because of the nonuniformity of the sand deposits on the high vegetated bar which was utilized as the soil source.

a. **Significant Observations.**

(1) The use of soil-cement as demonstrated at the I-94 Area appears to be a viable alternative to stone in areas where stone is not



readily available. However, additional field test time is needed before the soil-cement material has properly demonstrated adequate soundness quality.

(2) Construction utilizing floating plant techniques can be used in this reach of the Missouri River channel depths permitting. Floating plant construction was found to be more readily accepted by Federal, state and local interests than land base construction along timbered areas because it requires only minimal amounts of clearing where the windrow refusals are to be constructed. However, floating plant construction techniques result in a cost increase of approximately 25% when compared to land base construction techniques.

(3) The soil-cement was constructed at a unit price of \$32.00 per cubic yard which converts to approximately \$21.33 per ton. This cost is very similar to the unit price for stone at the I-94 Project of \$22.00 per ton. Therefore, the use of soil-cement as a partial substitute for stone is a cost effective method of protection.

#### **b. Recommendations.**

(1) The exact source of soil material to be utilized in the soil-cement mixture should be analyzed carefully to insure an adequate mix design is used. After a section of soil-cement material is mixed and placed to its designated lines and grades, it should be compacted, scored, covered with soil, and wetted within two hours. It is very important to avoid disturbing the soil-cement during the curing period (at least seven days) as any vibrations to the material may significantly reduce the bonding action, resulting in a low quality product.

(2) The existing revetment along the project, which was rehabilitated with 2 tons per linear foot of stone, should contain only angular shaped reasonably well graded stone material so the stone will

maintain the existing steep slope. For stone to stand on a steep slope it must have the ability to chink together which angular stone provides more effectively. This chinking ability is more important underwater than above normal water.

7. PRETTY POINT (PHASE I) AND THE PRICE I (PHASE I) PROJECTS. The contract for these project areas was not awarded until 8 September 1980 and the construction was not completed until August 1981. Therefore, the various structures have not been completed long enough to be evaluated for their effectiveness at this time.

8. COAL LAKE COULKE (PHASE I) AND THE KNIFE POINT I (PHASE I) PROJECTS. The contract for these project areas was not awarded until 17 September 1980 and the construction was completed in June 1981. Therefore, the structures cannot be evaluated for effectiveness at this time.

9. WILDWOOD (PHASE I) AND THE PRICE II (PHASE I) PROJECTS. The contract for these project areas was not awarded until 18 September 1980. The construction was not completed until May 1981. Therefore, the various structures have not been completed long enough to be evaluated for their effectiveness at this time.

10. FORT LINCOLN (PHASE I) AND THE HORSESHOE BUTTE PROJECTS. The contract for these project areas was not awarded until 18 September 1980 and the construction was not completed until June 1981. Therefore, the various structures cannot be evaluated for effectiveness at this time.

11. KNIFE POINT II (PHASE I) AND THE HANCOCK (PHASE I) PROJECTS. The contract for these project areas was not awarded until 25 September 1980 and was not completed until June 1981. Therefore, the various structures have not been completed long enough to be evaluated for their effectiveness at this time.

**C. RECONSTRUCTION.**

**1. EAGLE PARK AREA.**

a. Reconstruction was needed to replace severely damaged tree retard systems (TR 1324.19 and TR 1322.2). These systems required replacement due to damage from ice and beavers. They were replaced by the construction of Hardpoint 1324.15, Hardpoint 1324.1, Windrow Refusal 1323.9, Bankline Revetment 1323.89, Windrow Refusal 1323.85, Hardpoint 1322.3, Hardpoint 1322.2 and Hardpoint 1322.1. This reconstruction required 6,023 tons of stone; 1,064 cubic yards of excavation; 4,630 cubic yards of embankment and 463 tons of cobbles and spalls. The total cost for this modification, including photography and cross sections, was \$89,000 and was completed in August of 1978.

b. Three windrow revetment segments (Rev. 1323.8, stations 12+80 to 17+20, 19+20 to 23+60, and 25+60 to 30+00) and their attendant 50-foot windrow refusals (Ref. 1323.65, Ref. 1323.55 and 1323.45) were severely degraded within 18 months after their completion in September 1977. The original windrow segments, consisting of 3.5 tons of stone per linear foot, had fallen into the river and were overtopped by flows of about 4 feet at normal river stages. The windrow refusals were reinforced by adding 3 tons of stone per linear foot. Revetment segments from stations 12+80 to 17+20 and 25+00 to 30+00 were reinforced with an additional 2 tons of stone per linear foot of bankline and the segment from station 19+20 to 23+60 with 3 tons per linear foot of bankline. This reconstruction which required 3,530 tons of stone was completed in September of 1979. The cost of this reconstruction, including excavation, seeding and monitoring and evaluation, was \$51,000.

c. Two hardpoint spurs (HP 1323.2 and 1322.4) and composite revetment 1323.05 were degraded within 18 months after completion in September 1977. They were repaired with a total of 1,100 tons of stone and 600

tons of cobbles and spalls at a cost, including excavation, seeding and monitoring and documentation, of \$25,000. This reconstruction was completed in September of 1979.

**D. GENERAL CONCLUSIONS FOR THE GARRISON DAM TO LAKE OAHÉ REACH.**

**1. WINDROW REVETMENT.**

a. Smaller gradation (200-pound top size with  $D_{50}$  of 7" to 8") stone is more effective in windrow revetment than a large gradation (500-pound top size with  $D_{50}$  of 9" to 10") stone because the smaller gradation stone forms a more dense, closely checked protective layer which is necessary to resist erosion of the underwater bank slope.

b. Windrow revetment is very effective in eliminating erosion along areas where river flows are unusually steep and swift along the toe of the bankline.

c. The amount of stone placed in the windrow that is required to achieve a stable condition is entirely dependent on site specific channel characteristics. Under normal conditions encountered on this reach of the Missouri River, 4.5 tons per linear foot of stone is adequate.

d. Construction is relatively simple and does not require special equipment or excessive construction time.

e. Minor additional land loss must be acceptable to allow the stone material to slough and function as designed.

f. Construction requires more clearing than most other structure types because the structure is excavated into the bank; therefore, more construction area is required for equipment movement.

g. The size of the unprotected bankline areas between windrow revetment segments is dependent upon flow conditions and erosion rates. The average effective unprotected gap along this reach of the Missouri River is 250 feet.

h. Construction of a 30 to 75 foot windrow refusal extending into the bank is mandatory at the upstream end of each revetment segment to eliminate the possibility of erosion flanking the structure.

i. Windrow Revetment - Type A is recommended over Type B in most cases because it requires less additional bank losses before it reaches a stable equilibrium condition.

j. After the structure reaches equilibrium, the landward face protected becomes vegetated, usually within one year.

## 2. COMPOSITE REVETMENT.

a. This type of structure is effective in all conditions, particularly deep channels with high banks along highly sensitive upper bank areas requiring immediate stabilization. Composite revetments can be constructed with no excavation and the least amount of upper bank disturbance of any revetment type structures demonstrated by this reach.

b. For this reach of the Missouri River, the optimum toe of the composite should be composed of approximately 4.5 tons per linear foot of bankline to lines and grades shown on Plate 1-2, or the necessary material required for the estimated maximum scour.

c. The landward crown elevation of the stone should be 3 feet above the CRP. The riverward crown elevation should be approximately 2 feet below CRP.

d. The crown of the stone composite should be covered by a thin layer of gravel if aesthetics are a desirable project objective. In addition to aesthetics, the gravel permits easier access to the river for wildlife and enhances vegetation growth.

e. The lengths of revetment segments and the size of the unprotected bankline between segments is determined by the specific hydraulic conditions of the project area to be protected. The minimum length of an individual segment of composite revetment should be 400 feet. The unprotected bankline between structure segments should not exceed 300 feet where the flow is parallel to the bank and should not exceed 200 feet where the flow stream lines approach the bank at an angle of 45 degrees or more to the bankline.

f. A 30-foot to 50-foot windrow refusal comprised of stone extending landward into the bank should always be constructed at the upstream end of each revetment segment to resist the possibility of flows flanking the structure.

g. The lower toe zones of the composite revetment can be constructed of a lower grade material (i.e. soil-cement) if the material is placed at a low enough elevation so that it remains underwater most of the time and is not exposed to constant wet/dry and freeze/thaw cycles.

### 3. REINFORCED REVETMENT.

a. Types I, II and III have all been proven effective methods in eliminating erosion. Types IV and V have been in place less than six months and therefore cannot be effectively evaluated.

b. The maximum crown elevation of the toe of the reinforced revetments were constructed at the Construction Reference Place (CRP).

Therefore, under normal daily flows the water elevation does not exceed the crown and the tiebacks are not utilized. Only under severe flows will the tiebacks be effectively utilized. Consideration should be given to lowering the maximum crown elevation 2 feet.

c. The optimum tieback placement interval cannot be determined yet. The recently completed projects demonstrating the various tieback spacings have not experienced high flows and therefore, have not been adequately tested.

d. Reinforced Revetment is most effective along banklines containing an underwater bench adjacent to the highbank. In this case, the stone toe can be constructed riverward of the bank with less material requirements than most other structure types.

#### 4. HARDPOINTS.

a. Hardpoints are a very cost effective method of erosion protection. However, they do not supply the degree of protection that segmented revetment does.

b. Hardpoints should only be utilized along straight or convex shaped banklines where the stream flow lines are parallel to the bankline.

c. The minimum length of each hardpoint should be 100 feet (50-foot spur and 50-foot root) with an unprotected spacing between structures of approximately 250 feet.

d. Hardpoint construction should be limited to areas where channel depths are no greater than 10 feet within 50 feet of the bankline to avoid very large stone material quantity requirements.

e. The entire hardpoint structure should be aligned 10° to 20° in the downstream direction from the normal to the bankline to reduce the formation of a back eddy downstream of the structure which could increase the erosion in the downstream unprotected bankline.

##### 5. EARTH CORE DIKES.

a. Earth core dikes should only be constructed along channel areas where existing sandbars can be incorporated into the structure alignment to reduce the amount of necessary embankment fill.

b. Earth core dikes are a very cost effective method of immediately stopping erosion along large areas of bankline while only requiring minimal disturbance at the landward end of the dike during construction.

c. The crown elevation of the structure should be approximately 3.25 feet above the Construction Reference Plane. The crown should be covered by a thin layer of gravel if aesthetics is of concern and a more rapid revegetation is desired.

d. The construction of a functional environmental low elevation notch is an important part of the earth core dike design of improvement if riverine habitat is desired.

e. A vegetation planting program is recommended for the above water surface areas of the structure to improve the natural cover and structure appearance.

f. The landward end of the dike should have a vehicle traffic barricade (i.e., fence or large boulders) to restrict public vehicular access over the dike after construction.



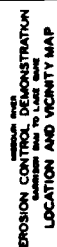
g. An earth core dike should not be considered if the channel flow width would be adversely affected by the structure placement within the normal water level flow-way.

6. TREE RETARDS.

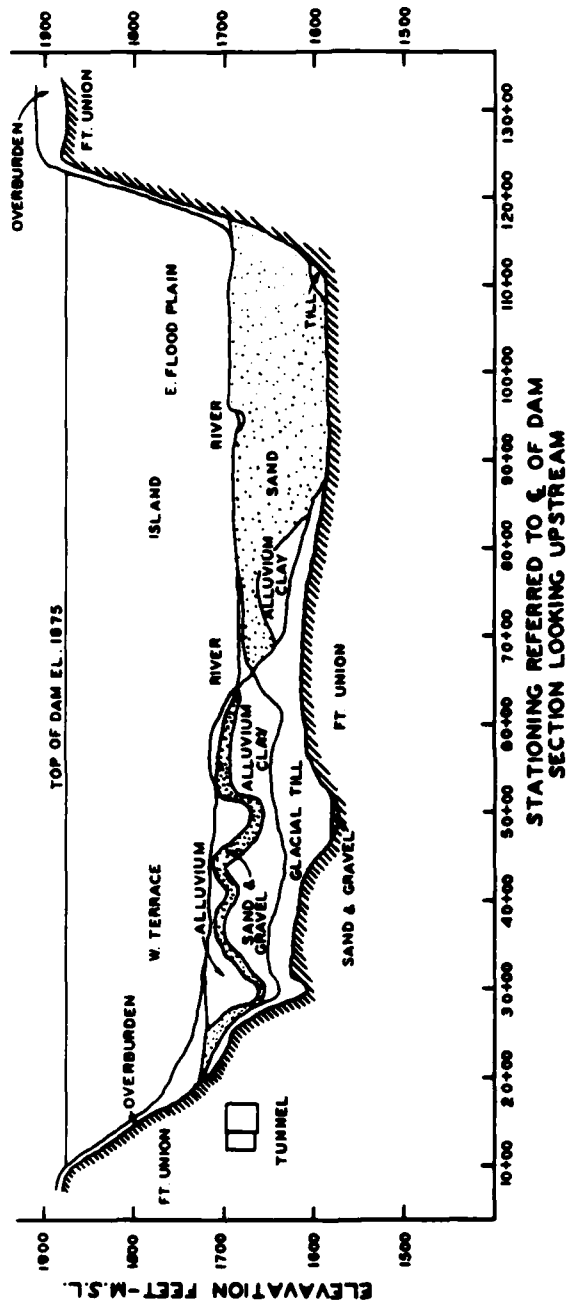
a. Tree Retards are not an effective method of erosion protection as designed, constructed and demonstrated at the Eagle Park Project Area. Both the flow and beaver damage have severely destroyed the structures within one year after completion.

b. If used, the trees should be large with the majority of the tree limbs extending above the Construction Reference Plane (CRP) to assist in the development of a shoal area downstream of the retard.

c. Beaver damage could be resisted by applying a treatment to the trees which would resist beavers.

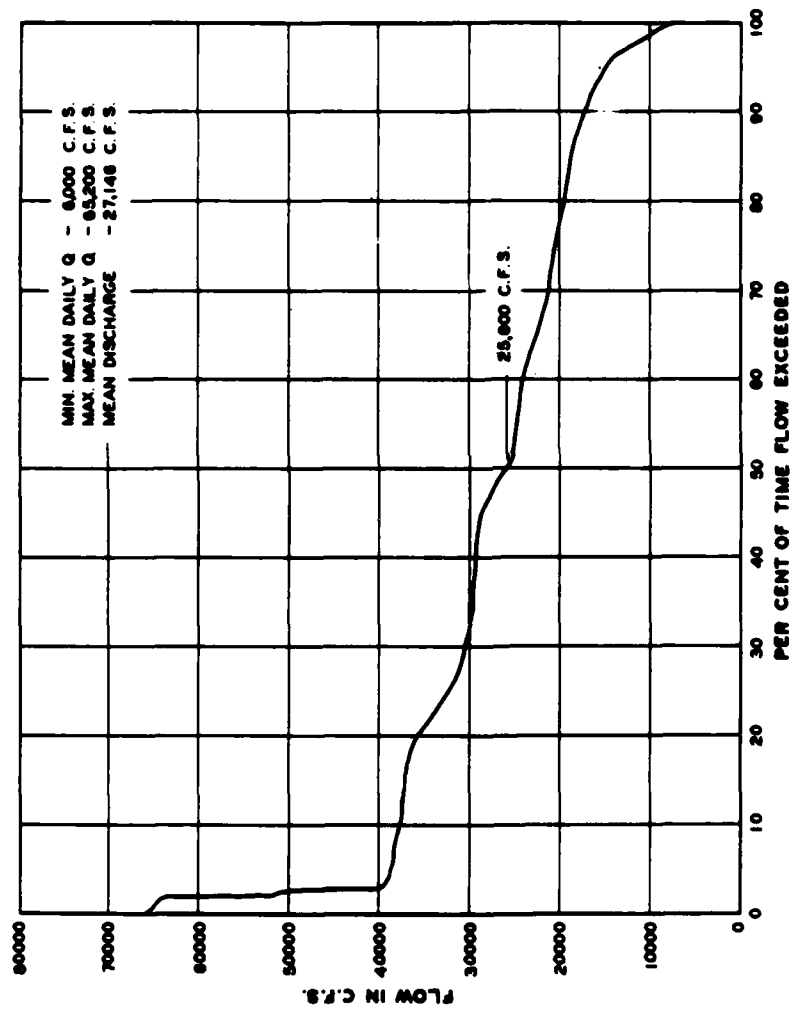


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MISSOURI RIVER  
EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION  
GARRISON DAM TO LAKE OAH  
GEOLOGIC PROFILE





MUSKOGEE RIVER  
 EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION  
 GARRISON DAM TO LAKE GAINE  
 FLOW DURATION CURVE

PLATE 0-4

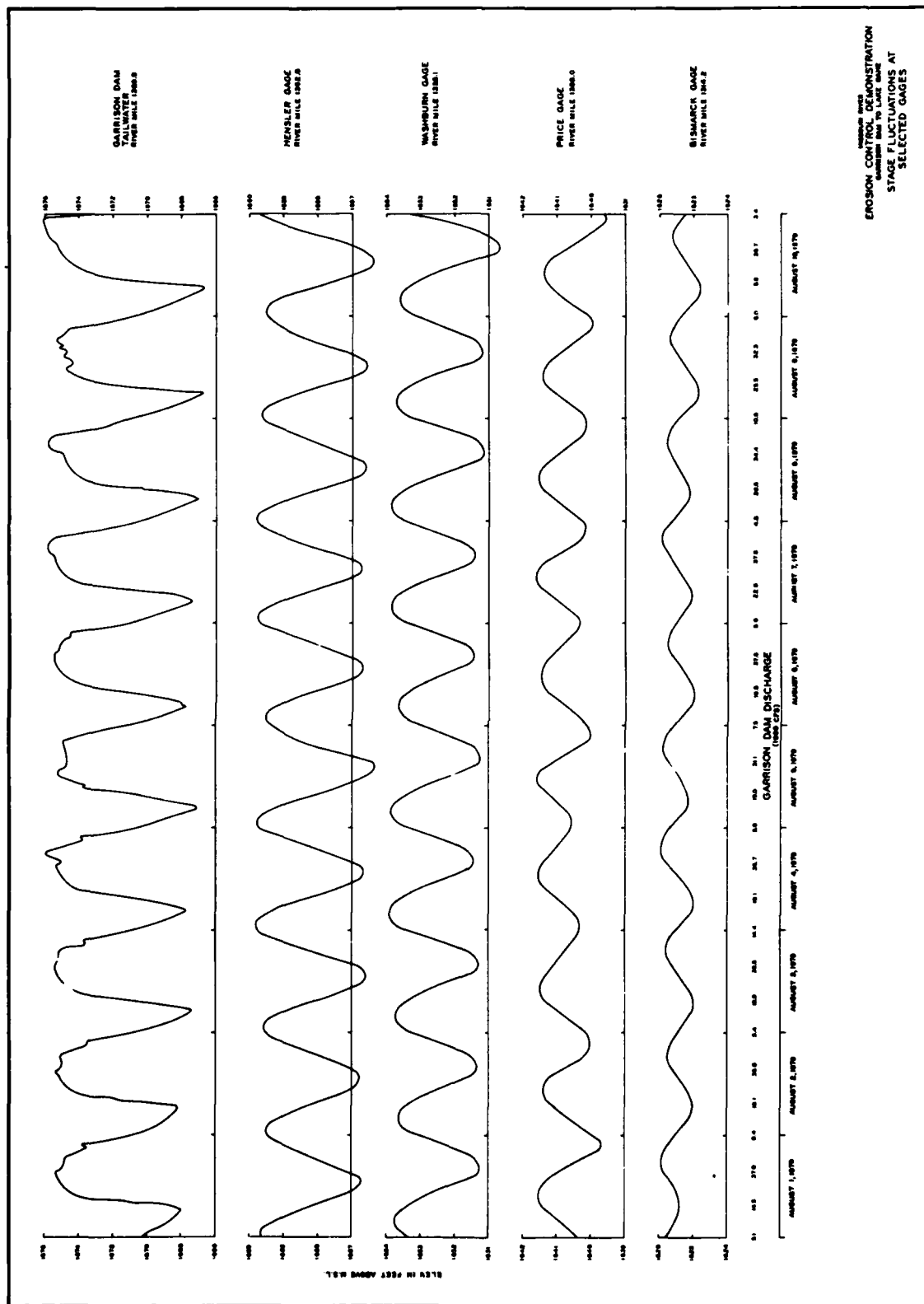
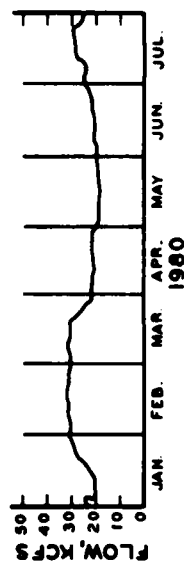
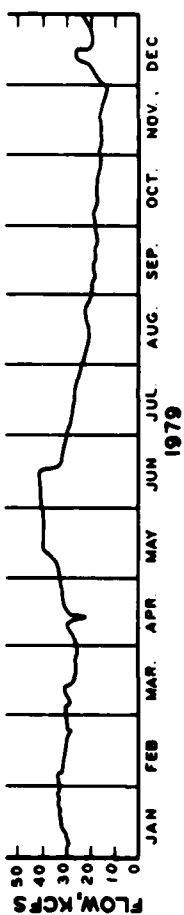
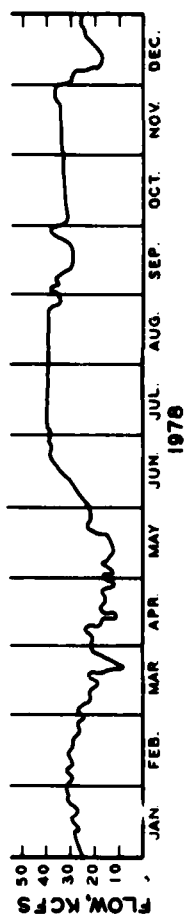
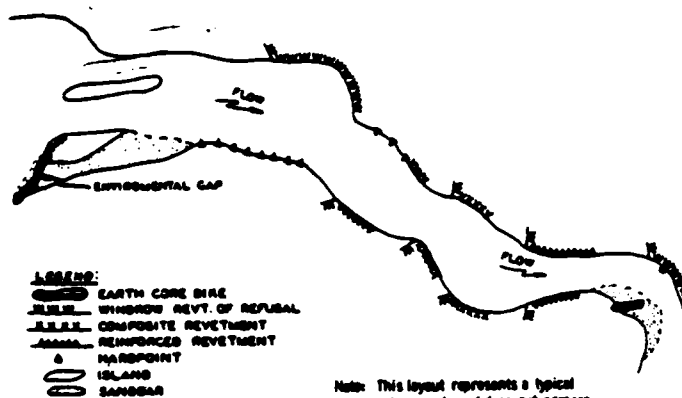


PLATE 0-5



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 EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION  
 GARRISON DAM TO LAKE OAH  
 AVERAGE DAILY GARRISON DAM RELEASES

PLATE 0-6



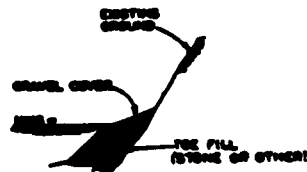
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Note: This layout represents a typical scheme only and does not propose construction for any particular area.

### TYPICAL BANK PROTECTION SCHEMES FOR EROSION CONTROL



### COMPOSITE REVETMENT



### TYPICAL SECTION

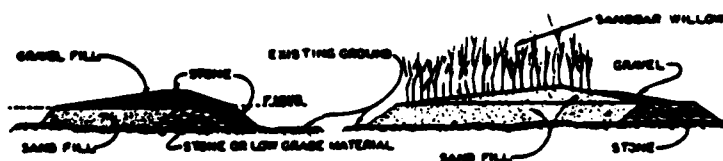
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 EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION  
 GARRISON DAM TO LAKE GAGE  
 TYPICAL BANK PROTECTION SCHEMES





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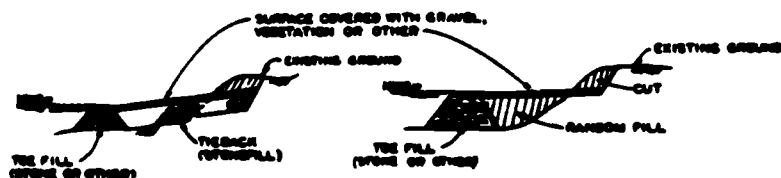
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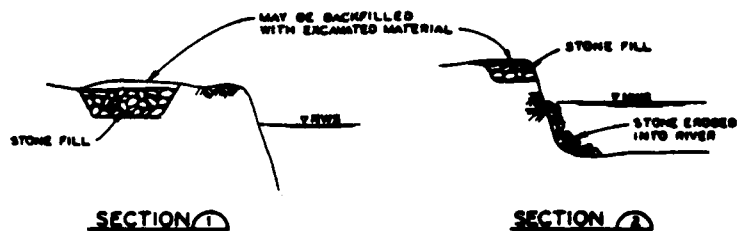
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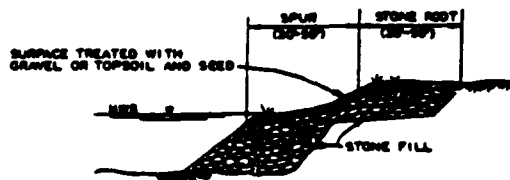
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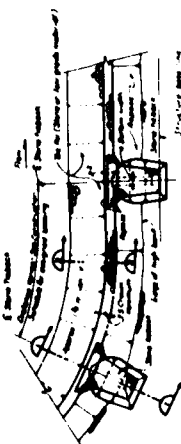
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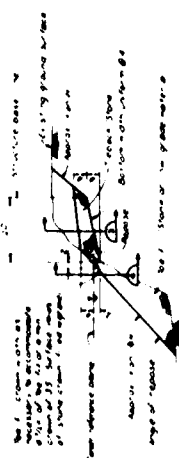




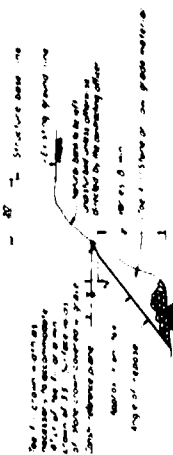
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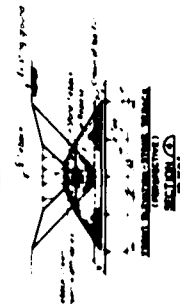
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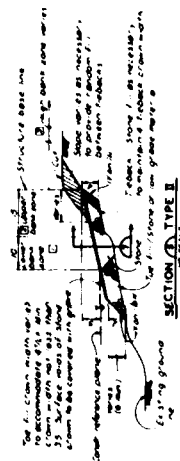
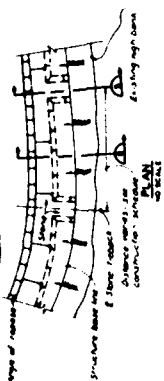


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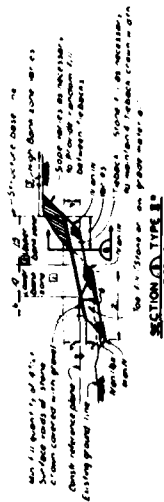


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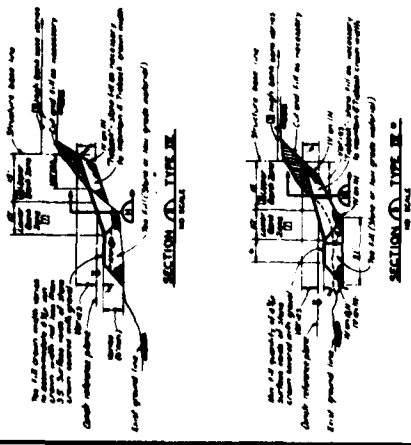
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HAWCOCK - PHASE I  
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## INTERCOMPARIMENT



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- proteins can vary
- amino acids are a group, make up proteins
- lipids are made up of fatty acid chains / making only 1% of mass
- high lipid cells indicate regulation for different structure (e.g. cell / membrane)

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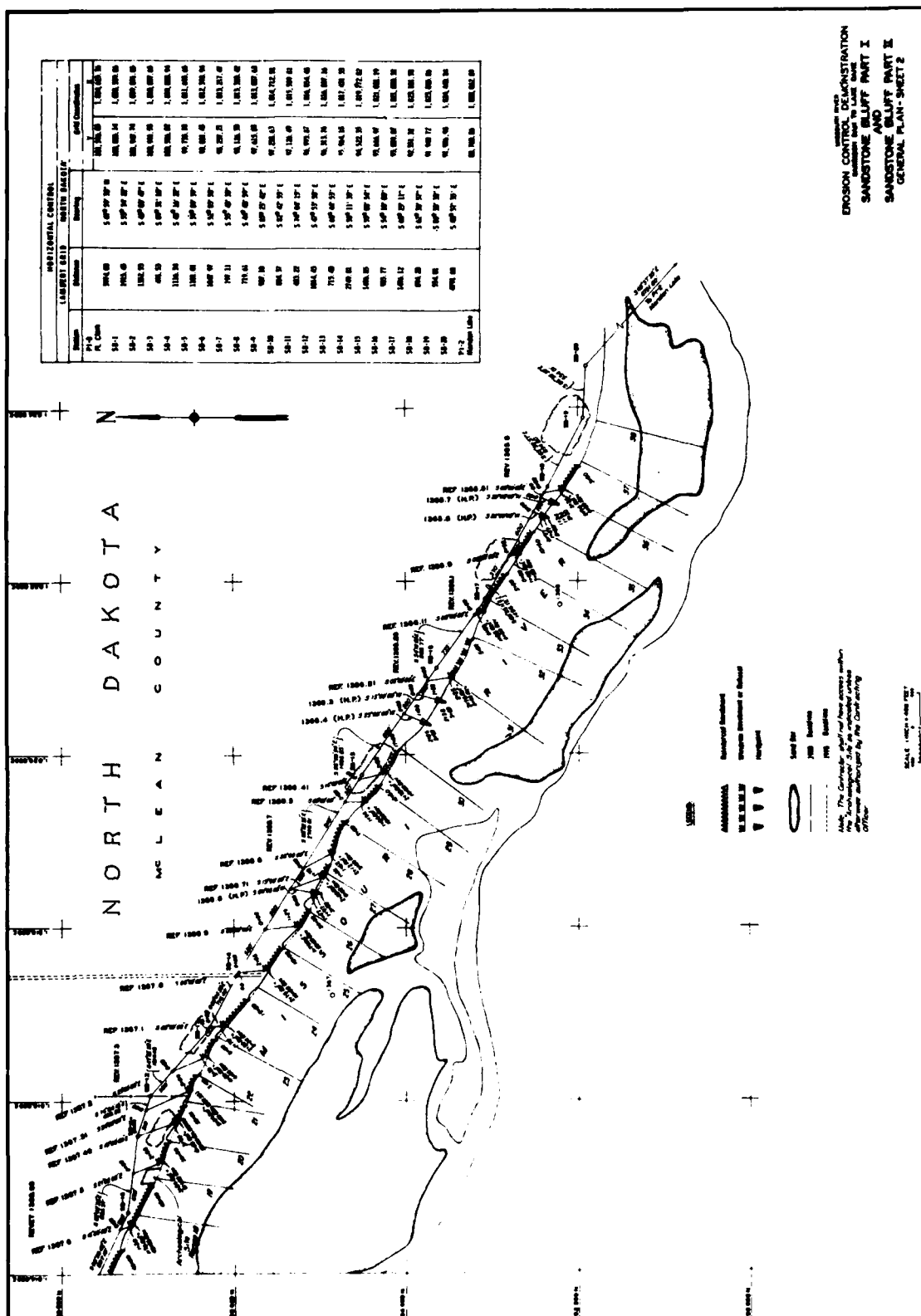


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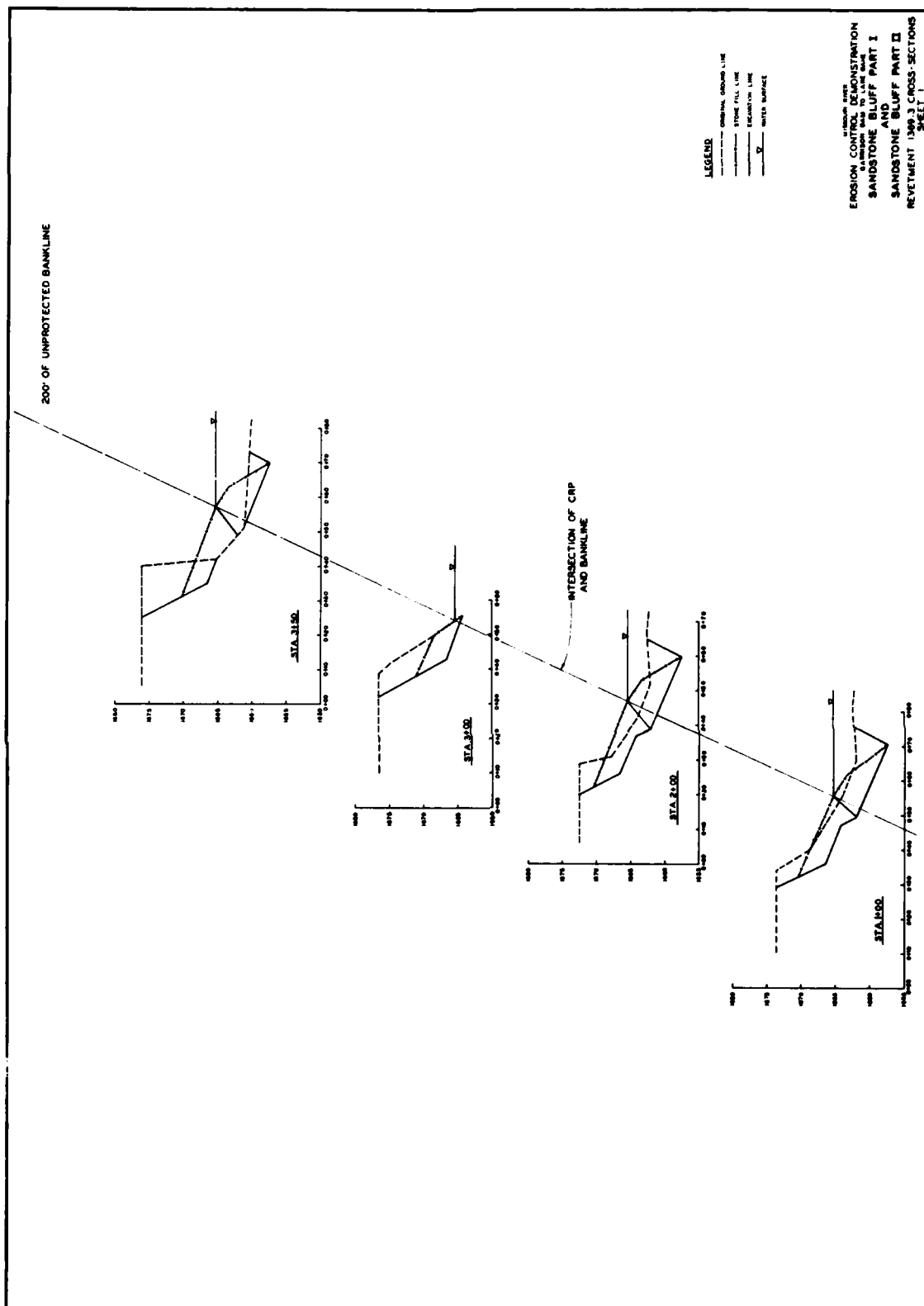


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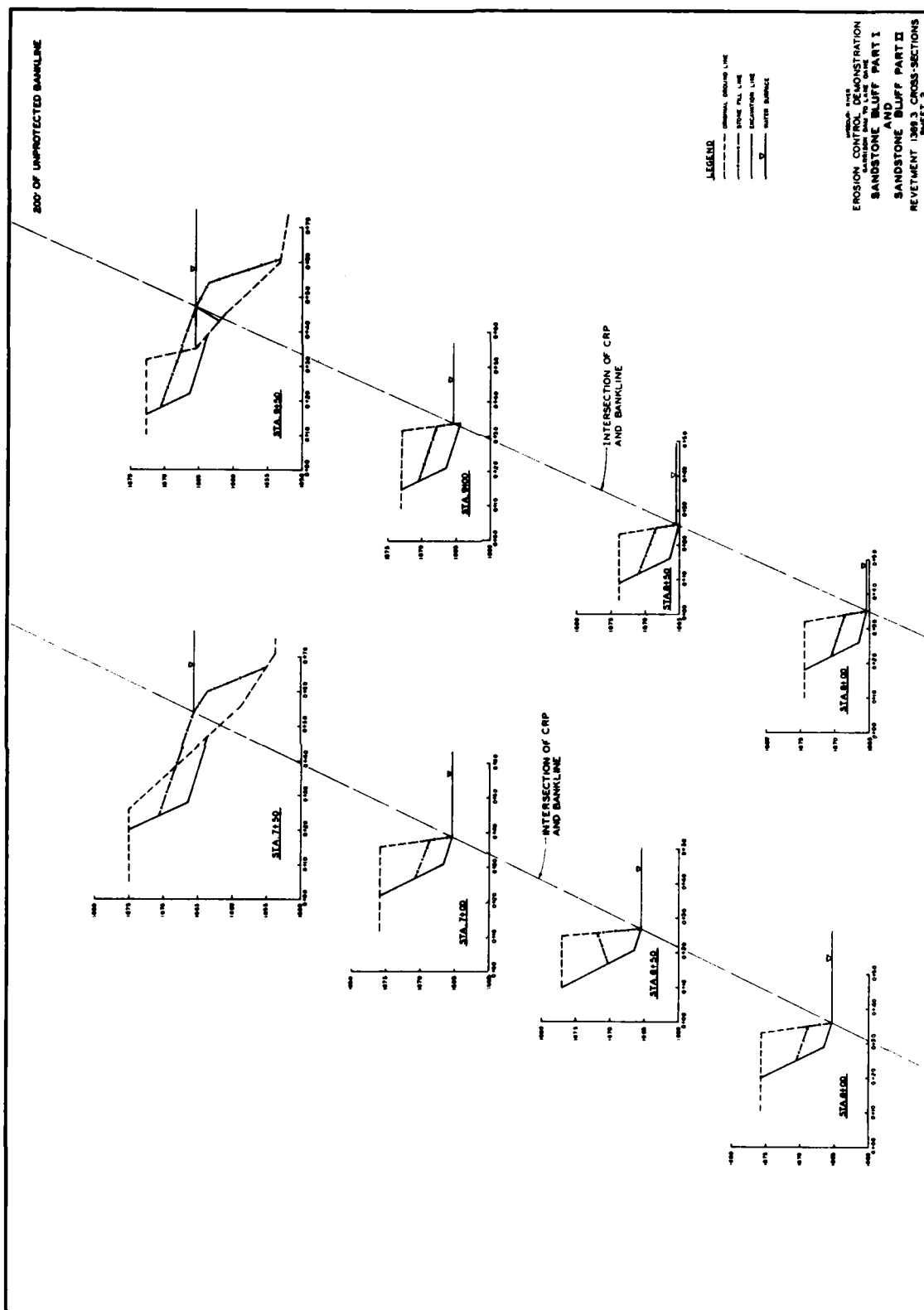


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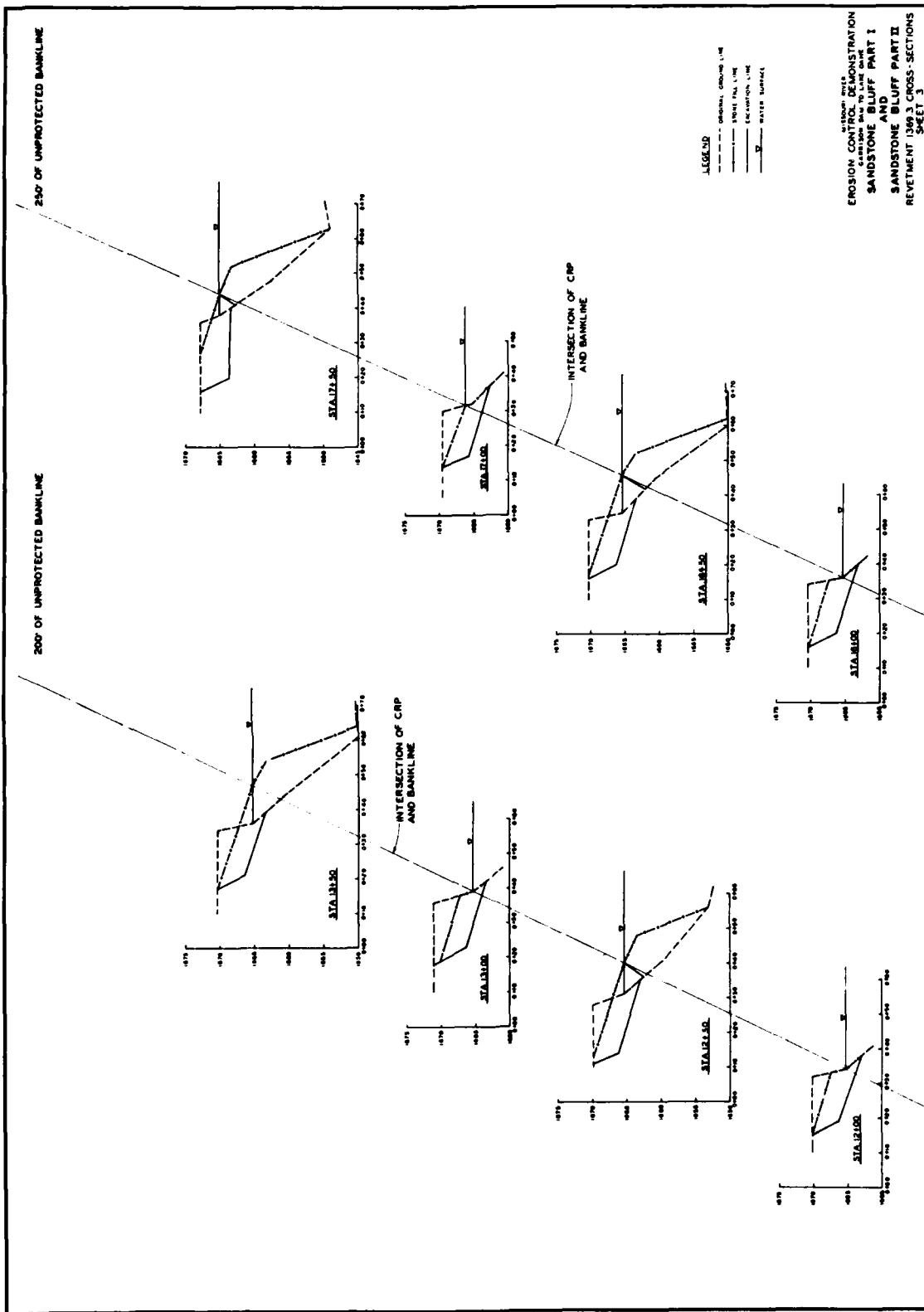


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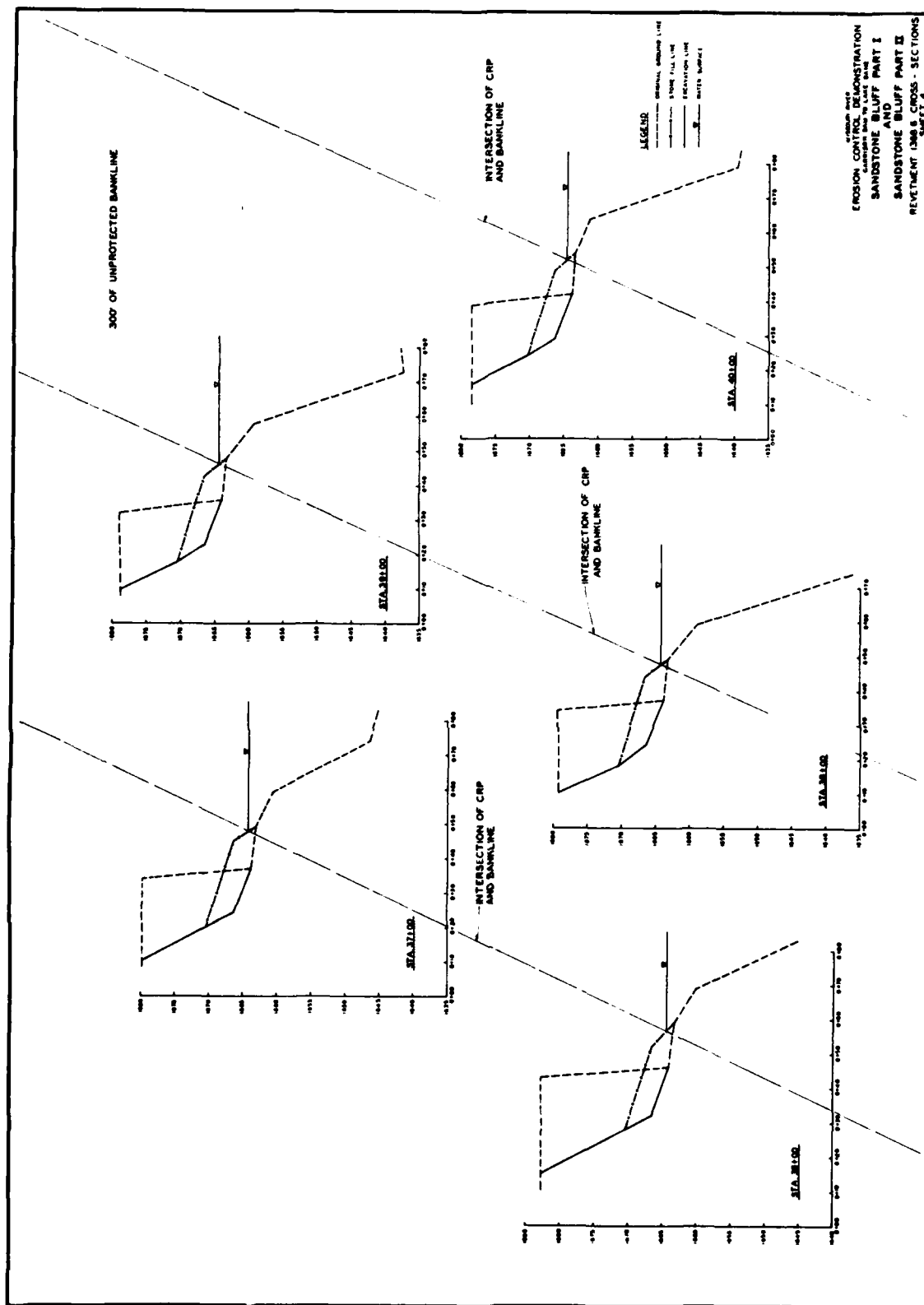


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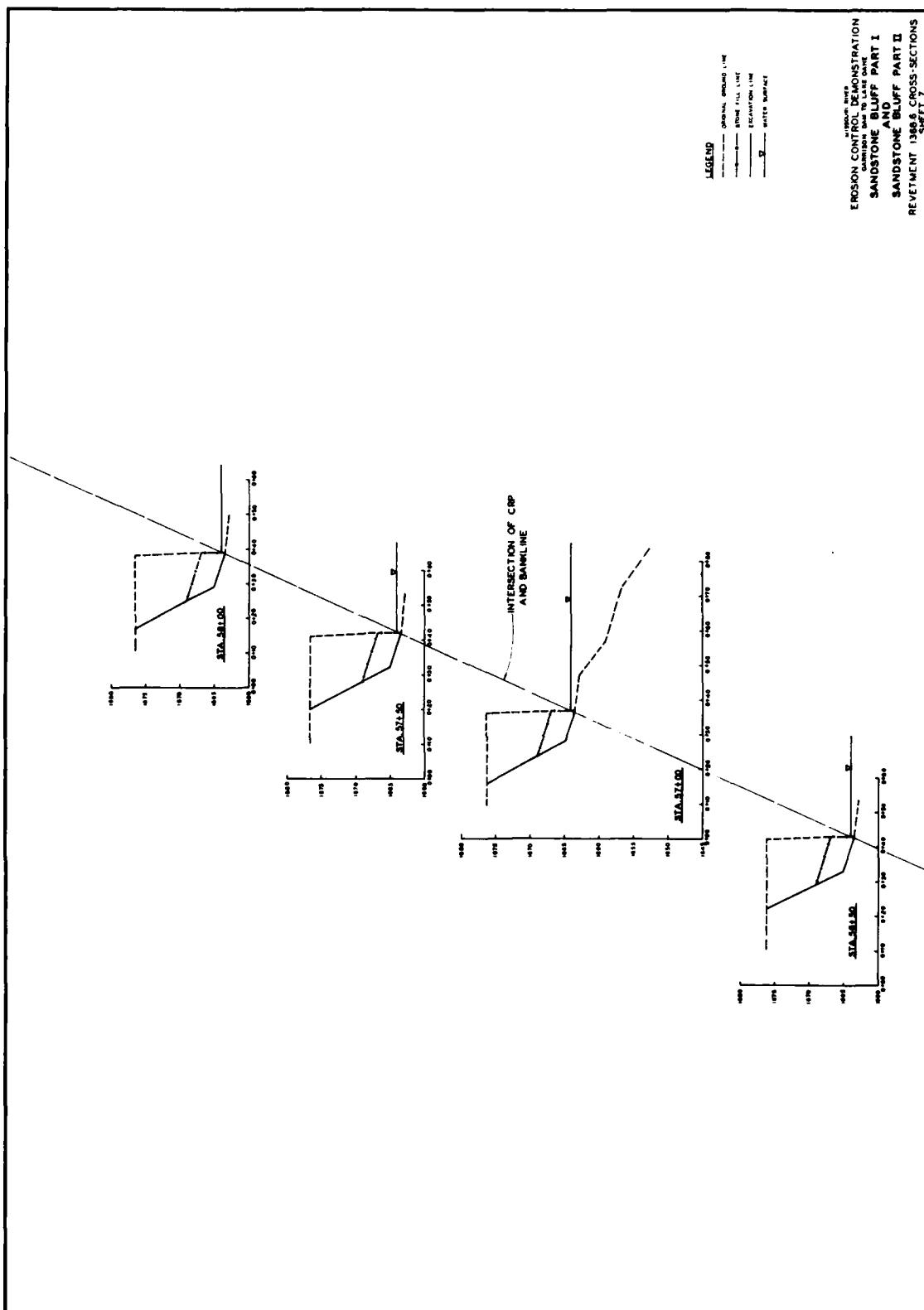


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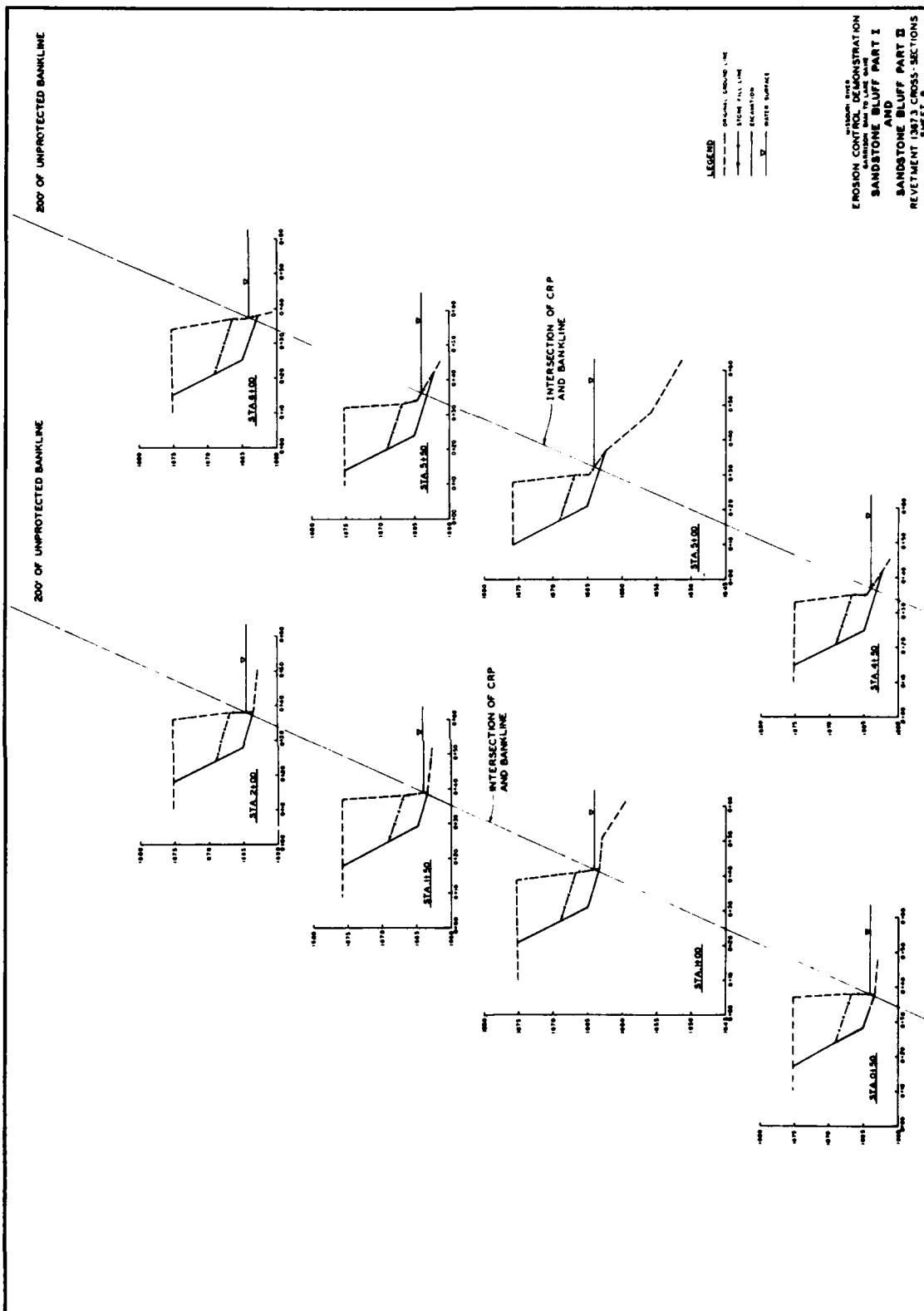


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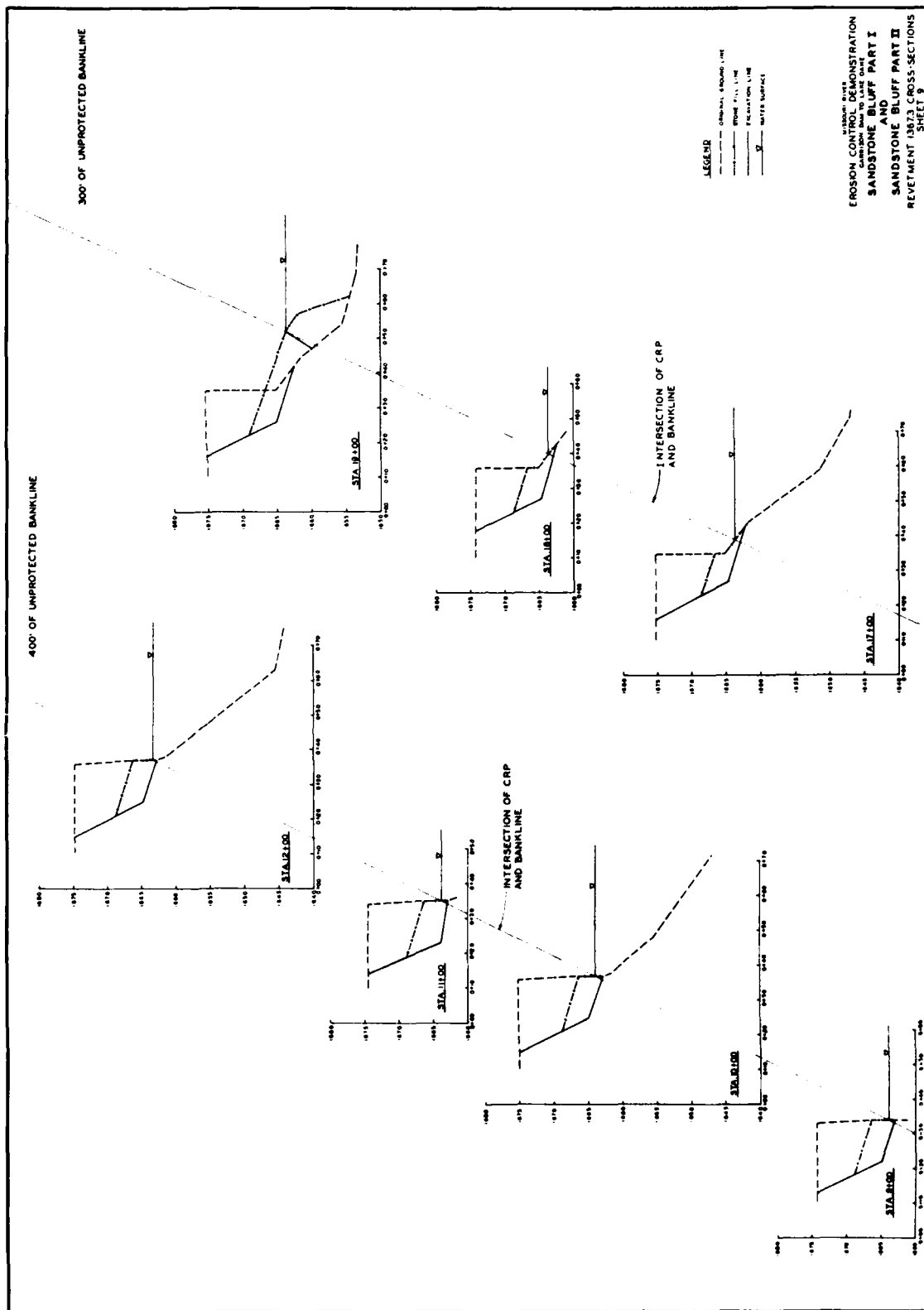


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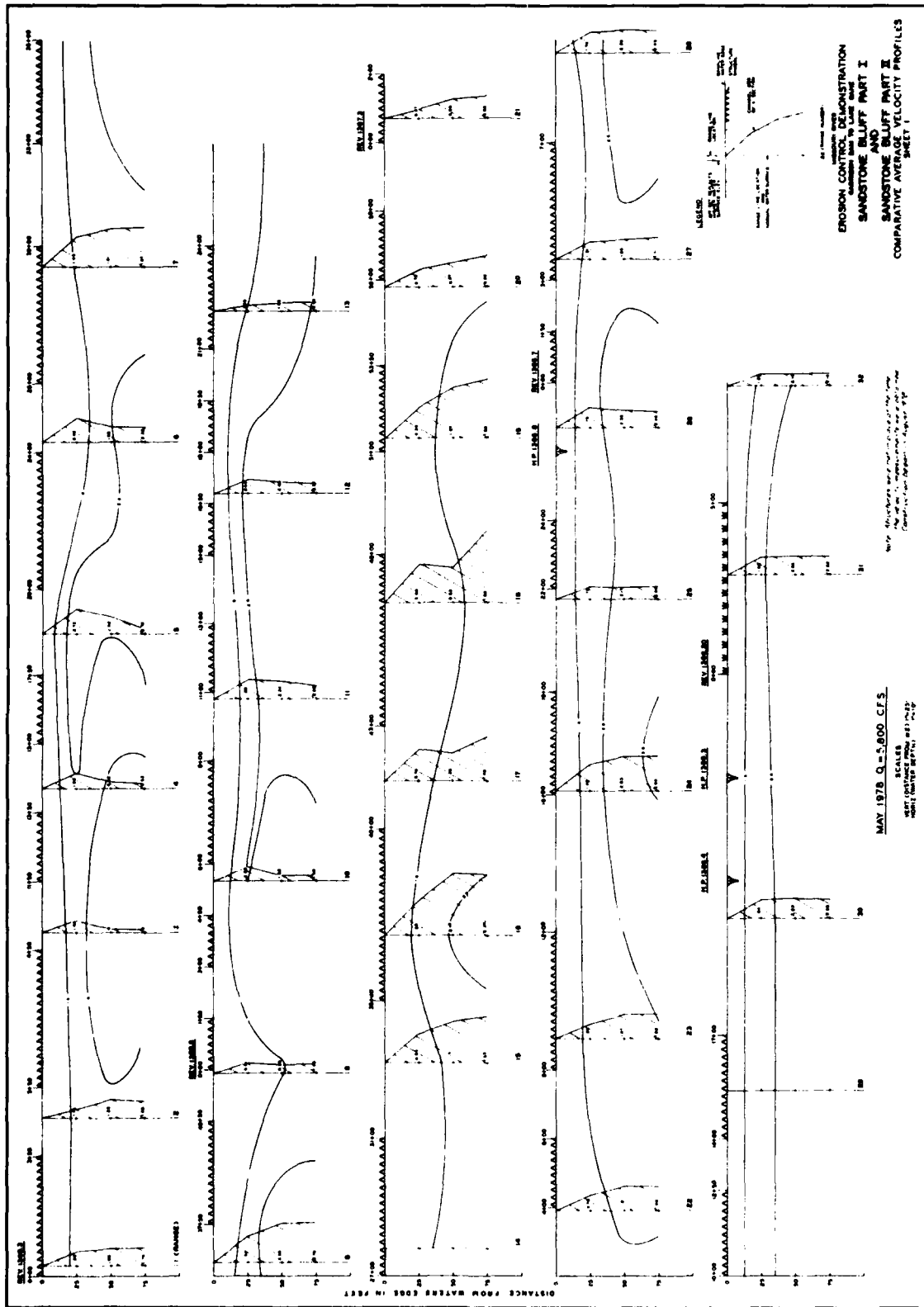


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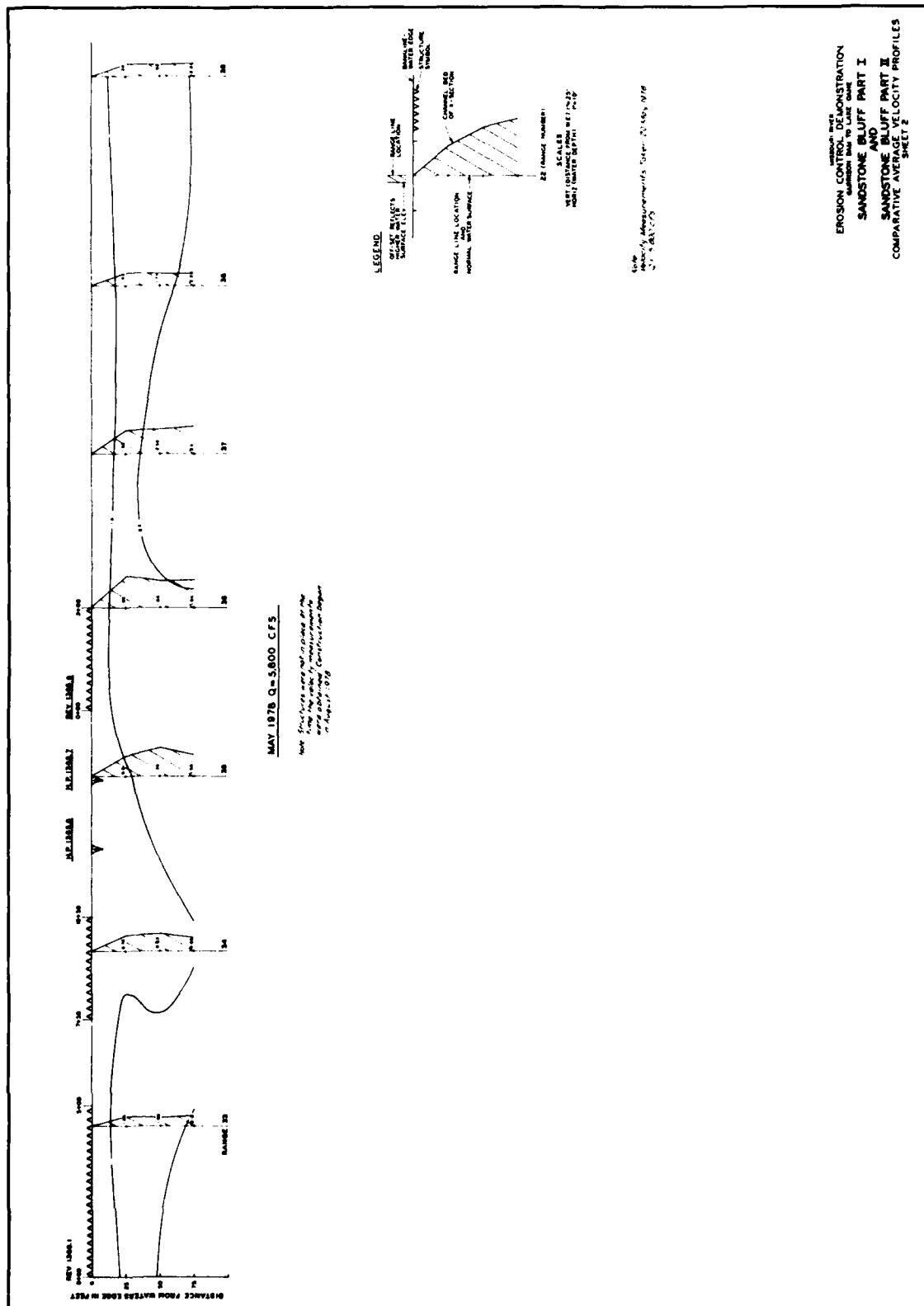
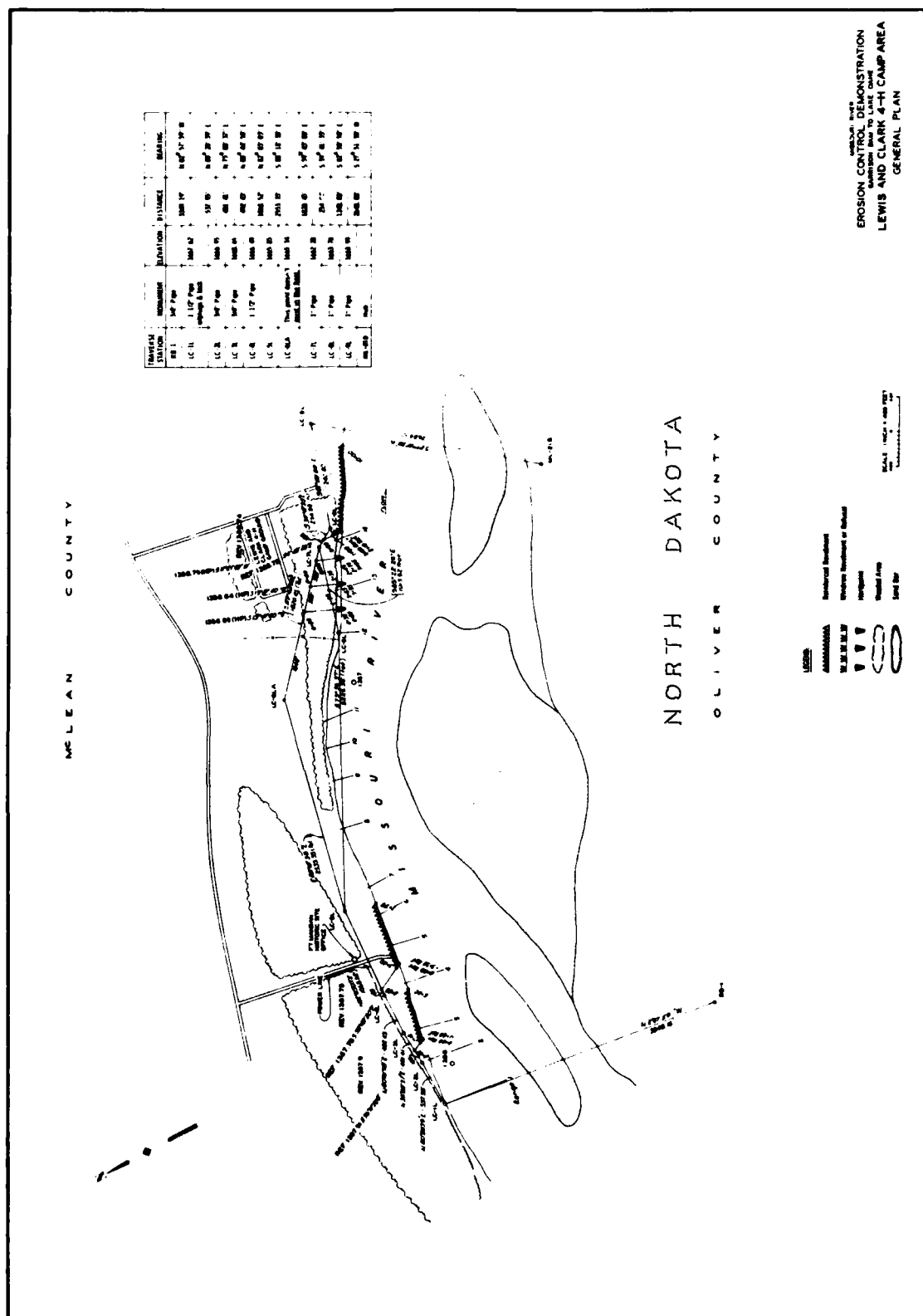


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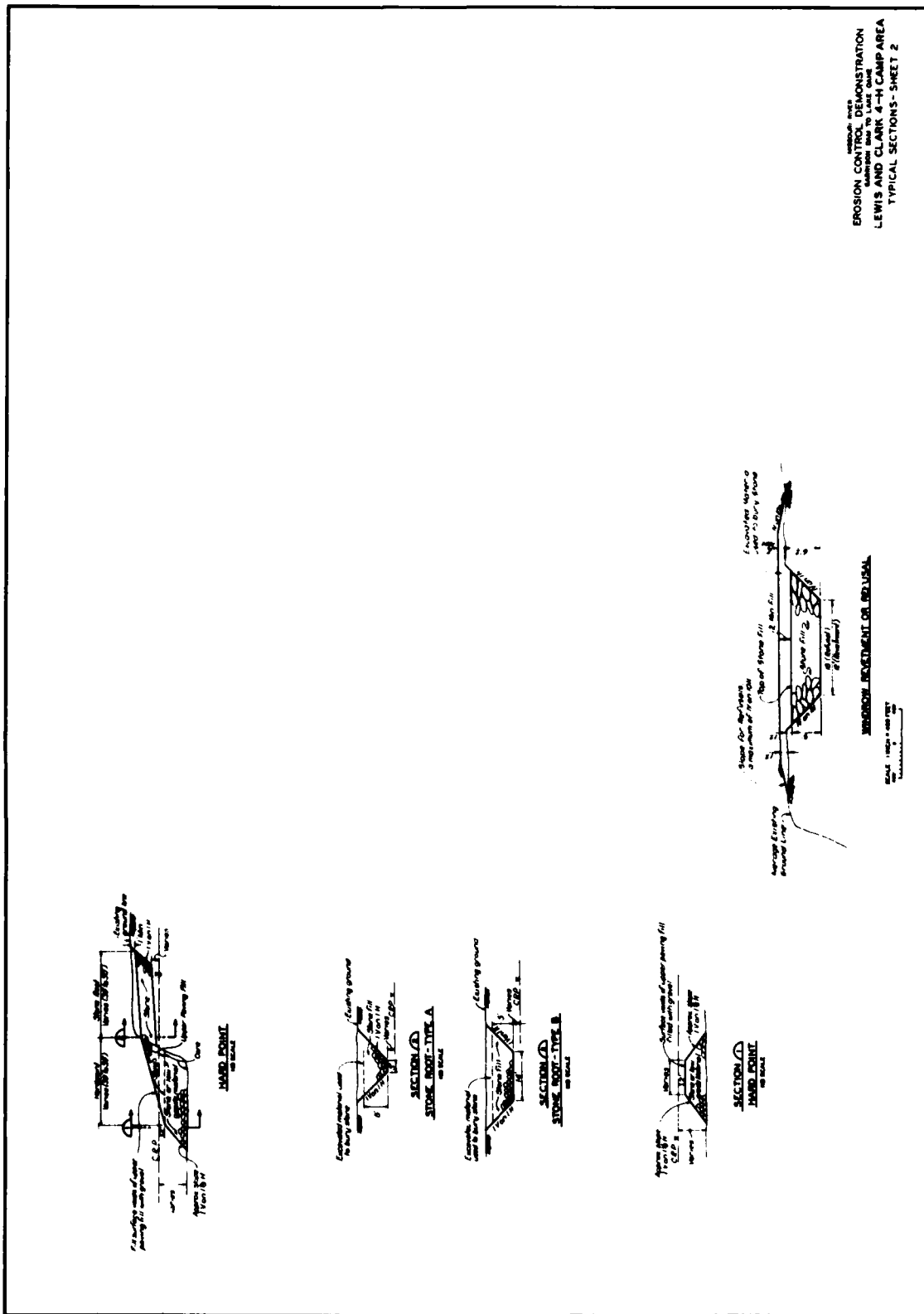


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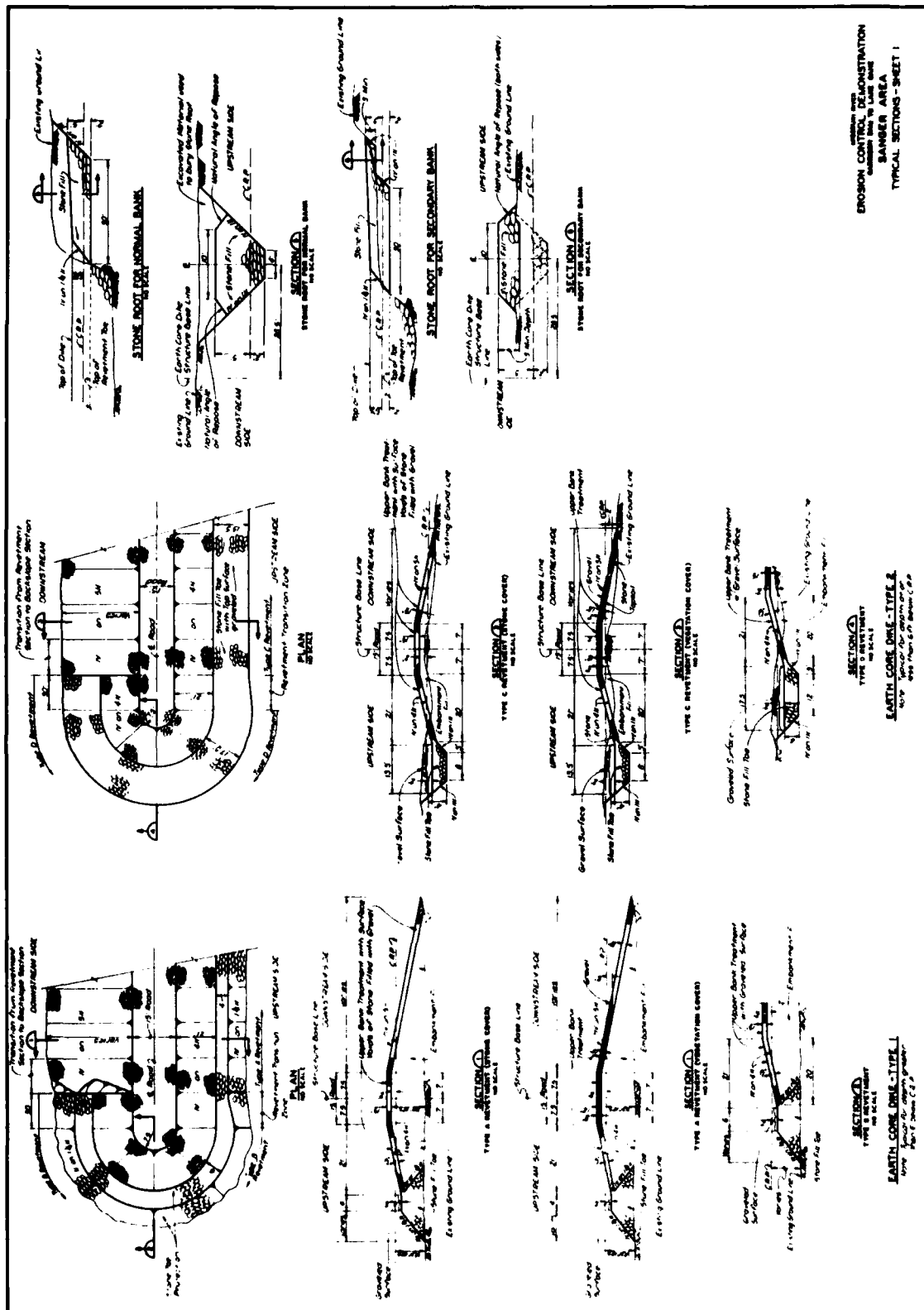
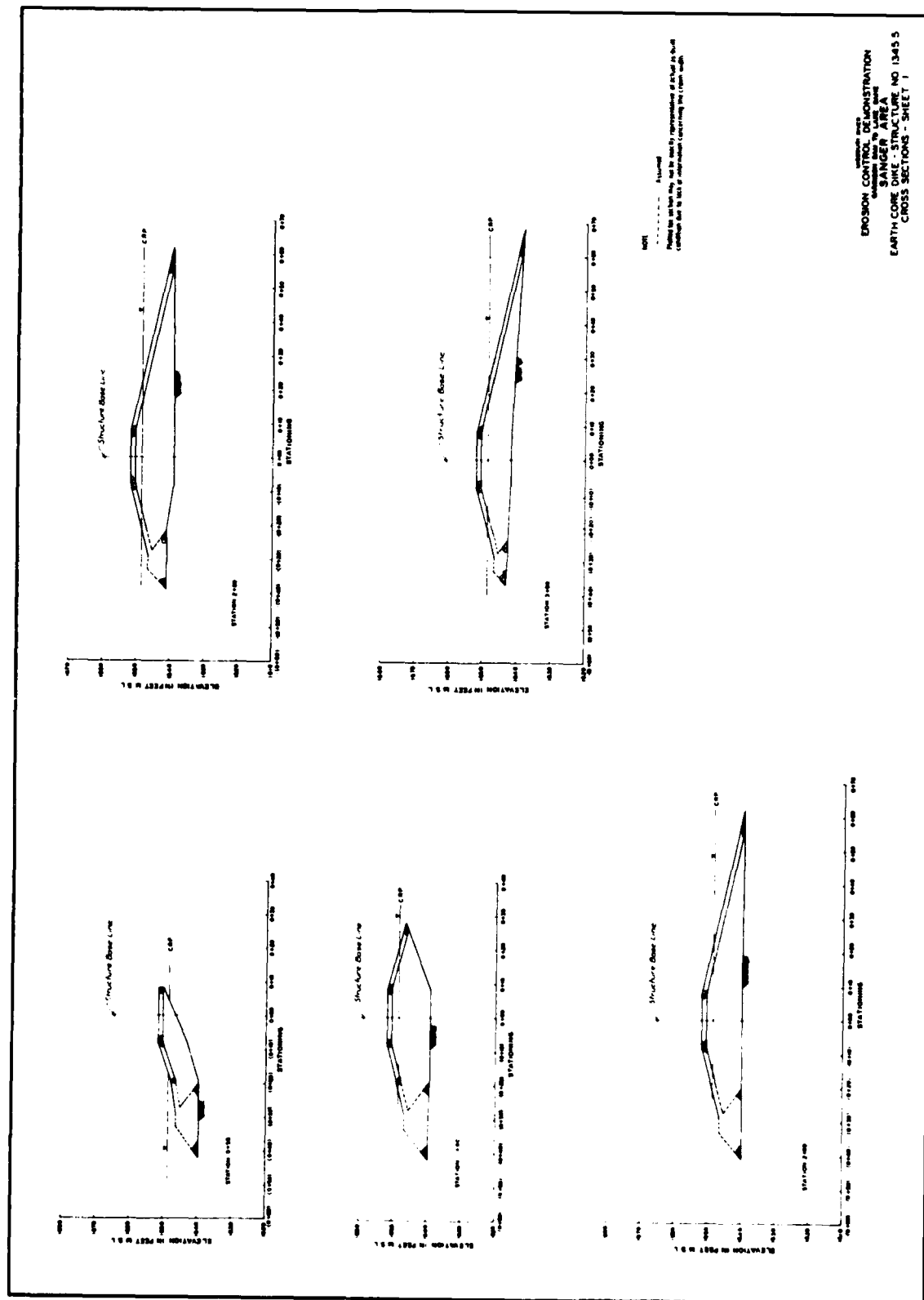


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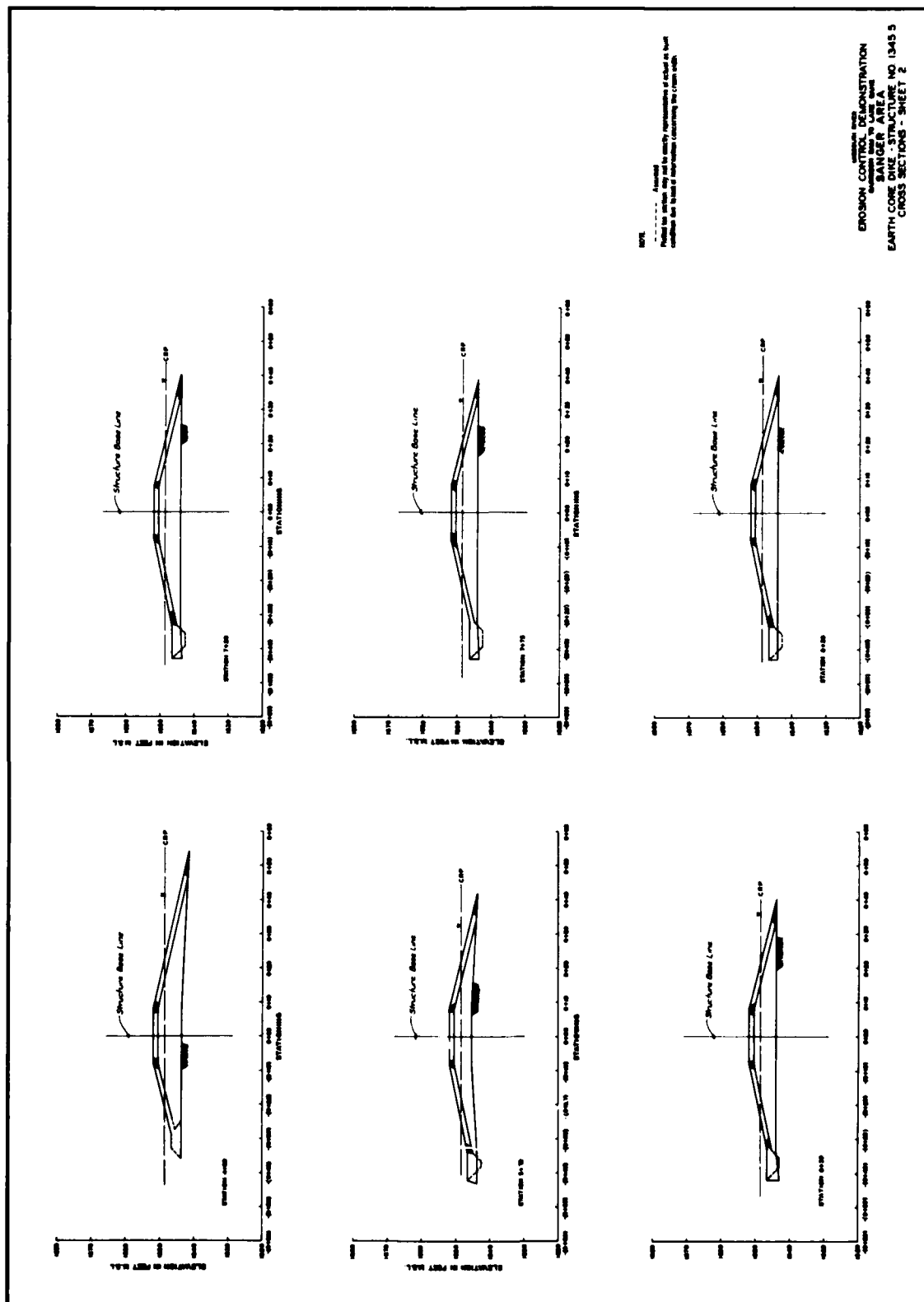


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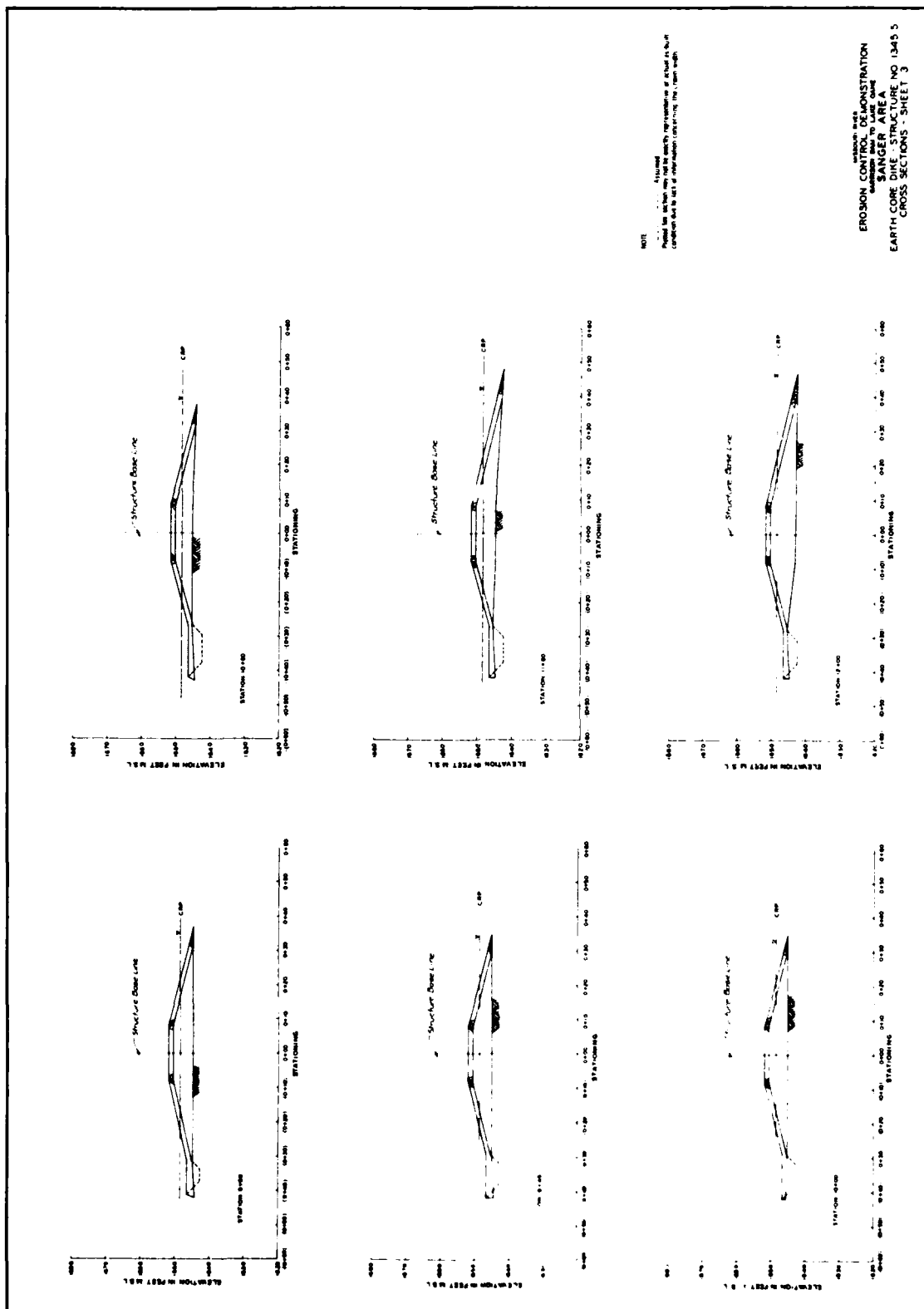


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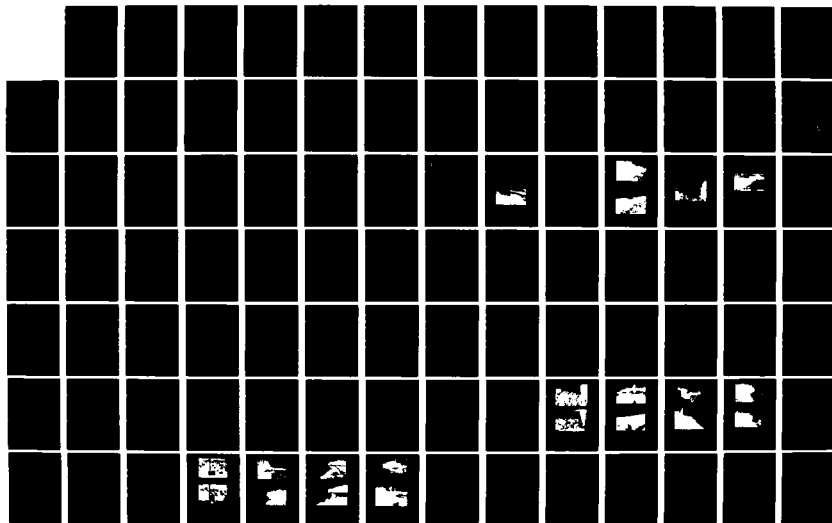
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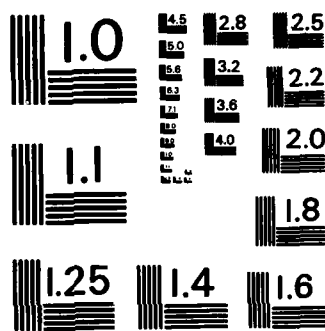
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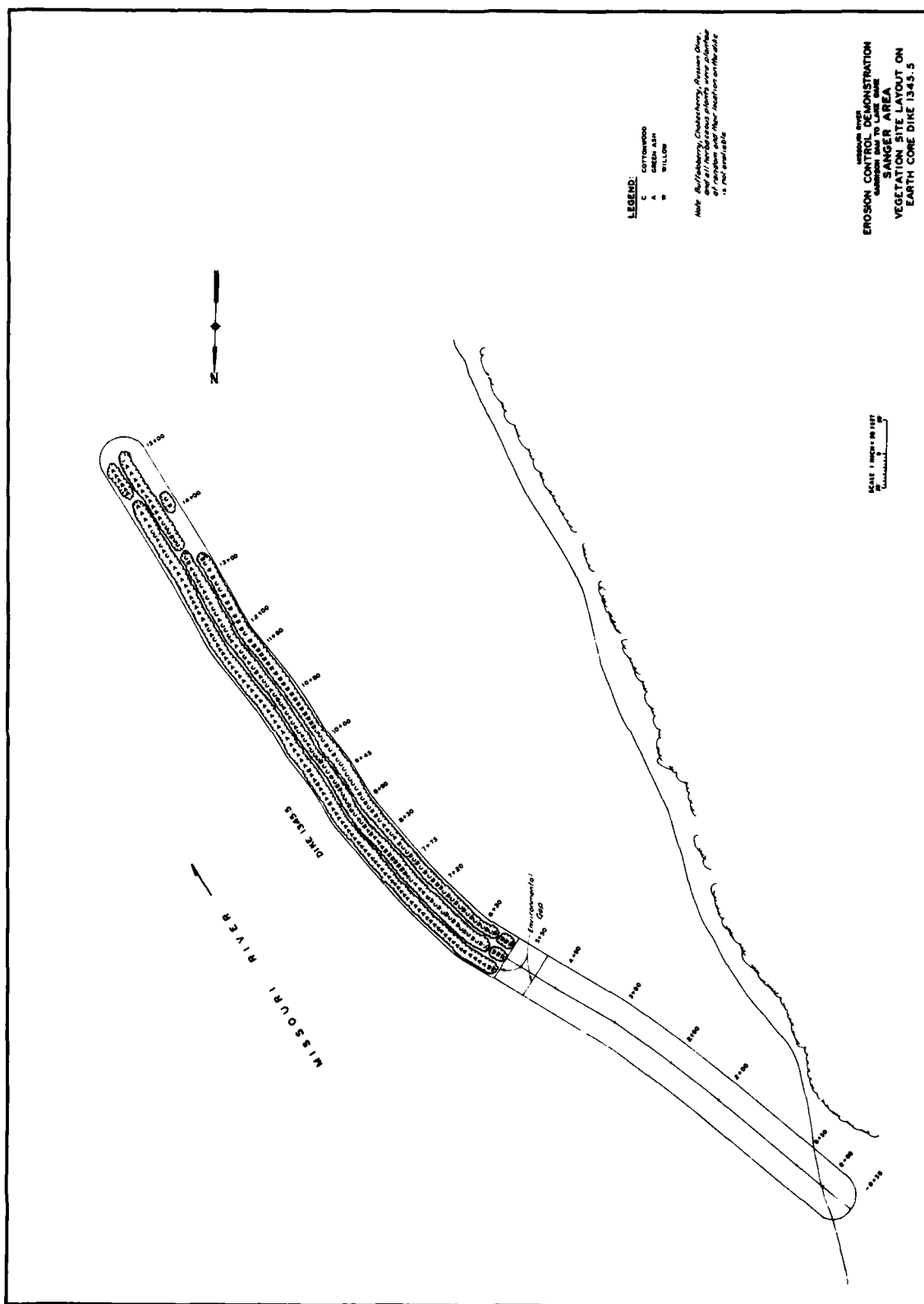


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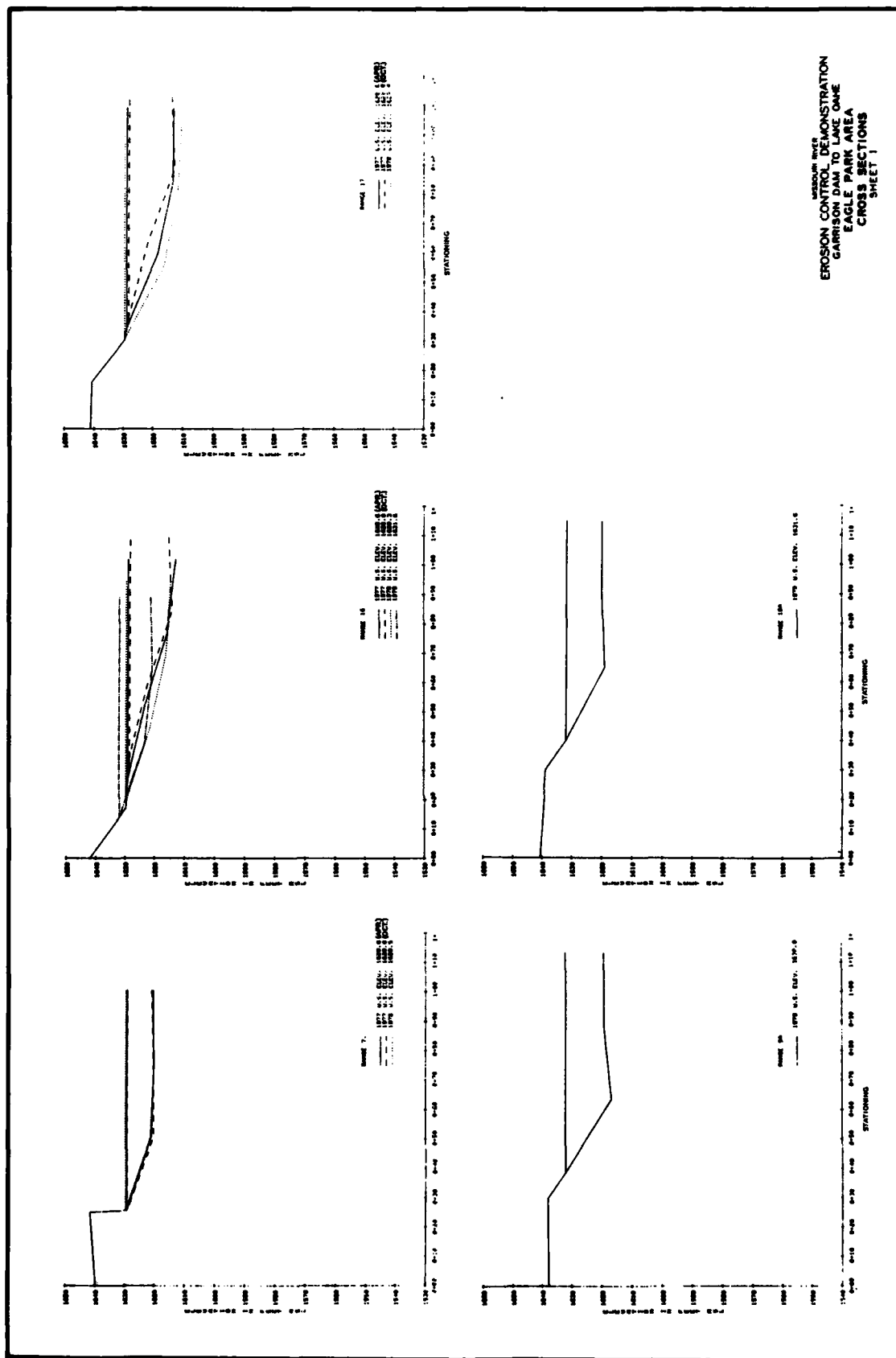
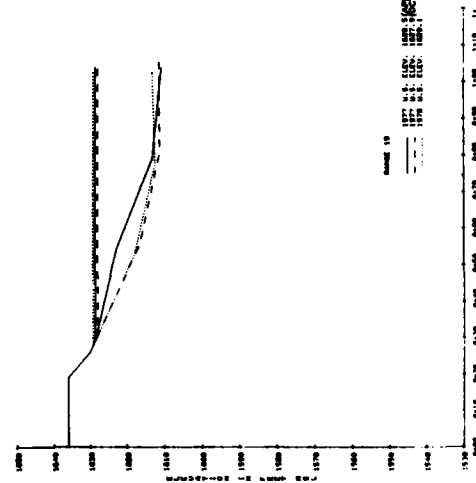
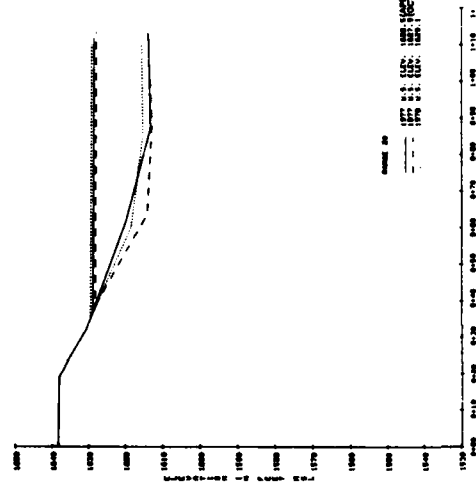
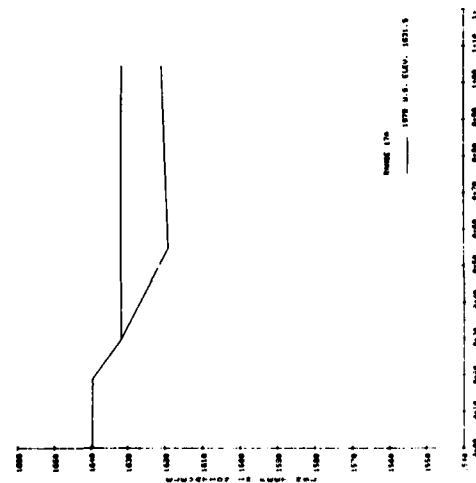
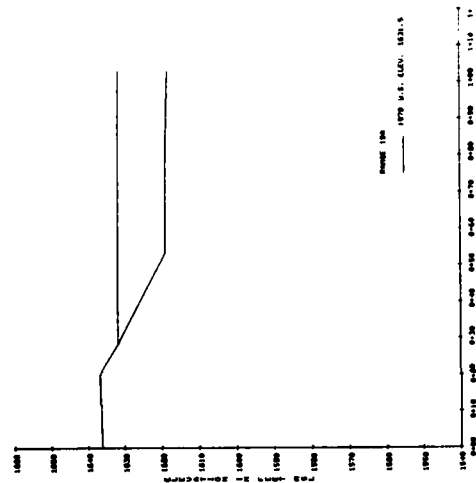
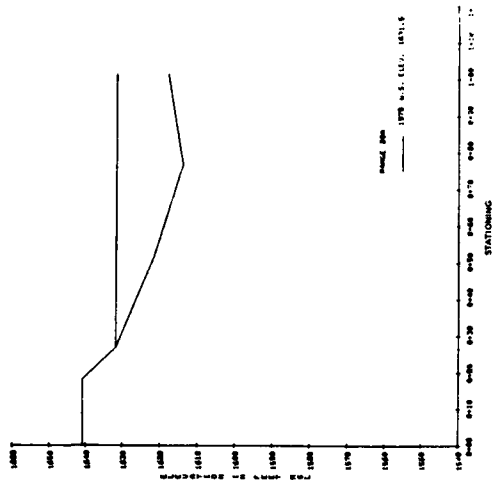


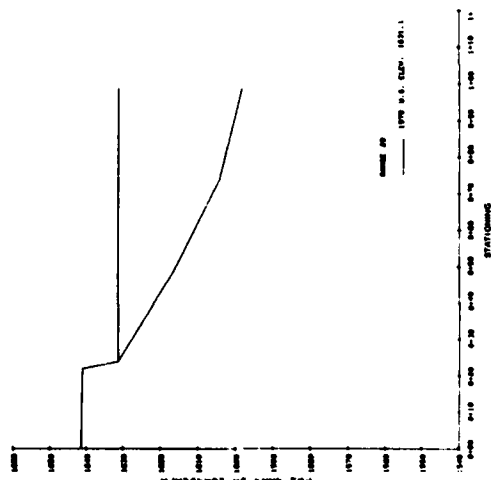
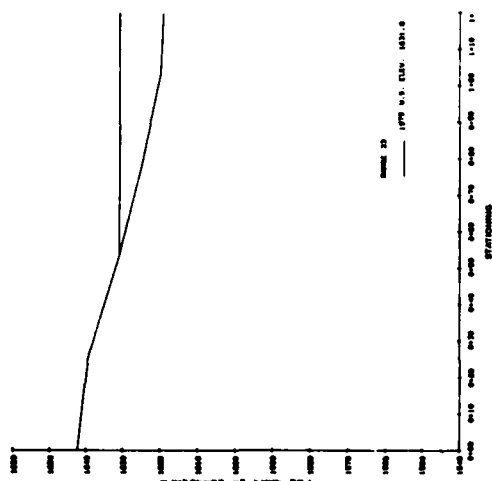
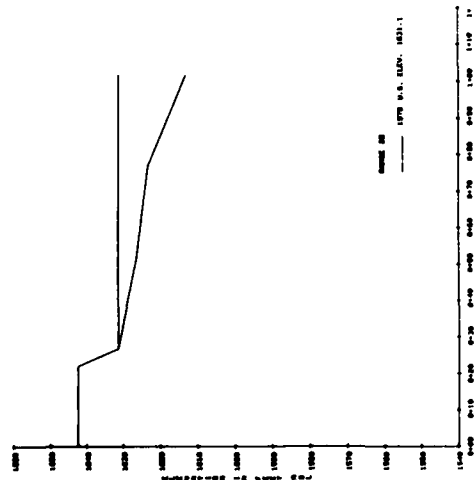
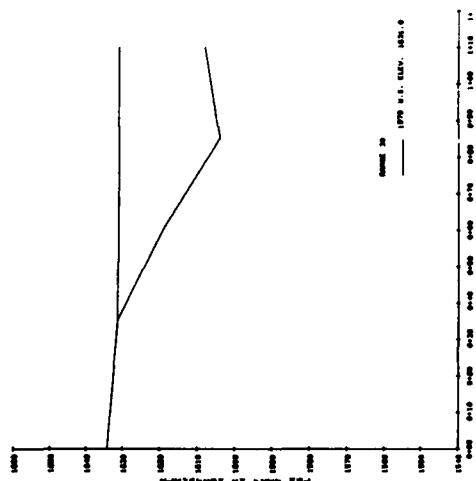
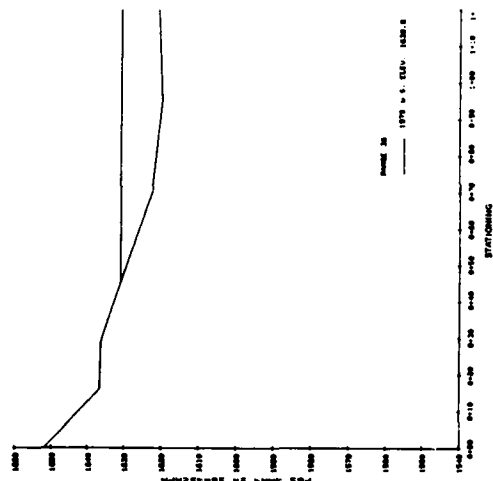
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EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION  
 GARRISON DAM TO LAKE OAK  
 EAGLE PARK AREA  
 CROSS SECTIONS  
 SHEET 2

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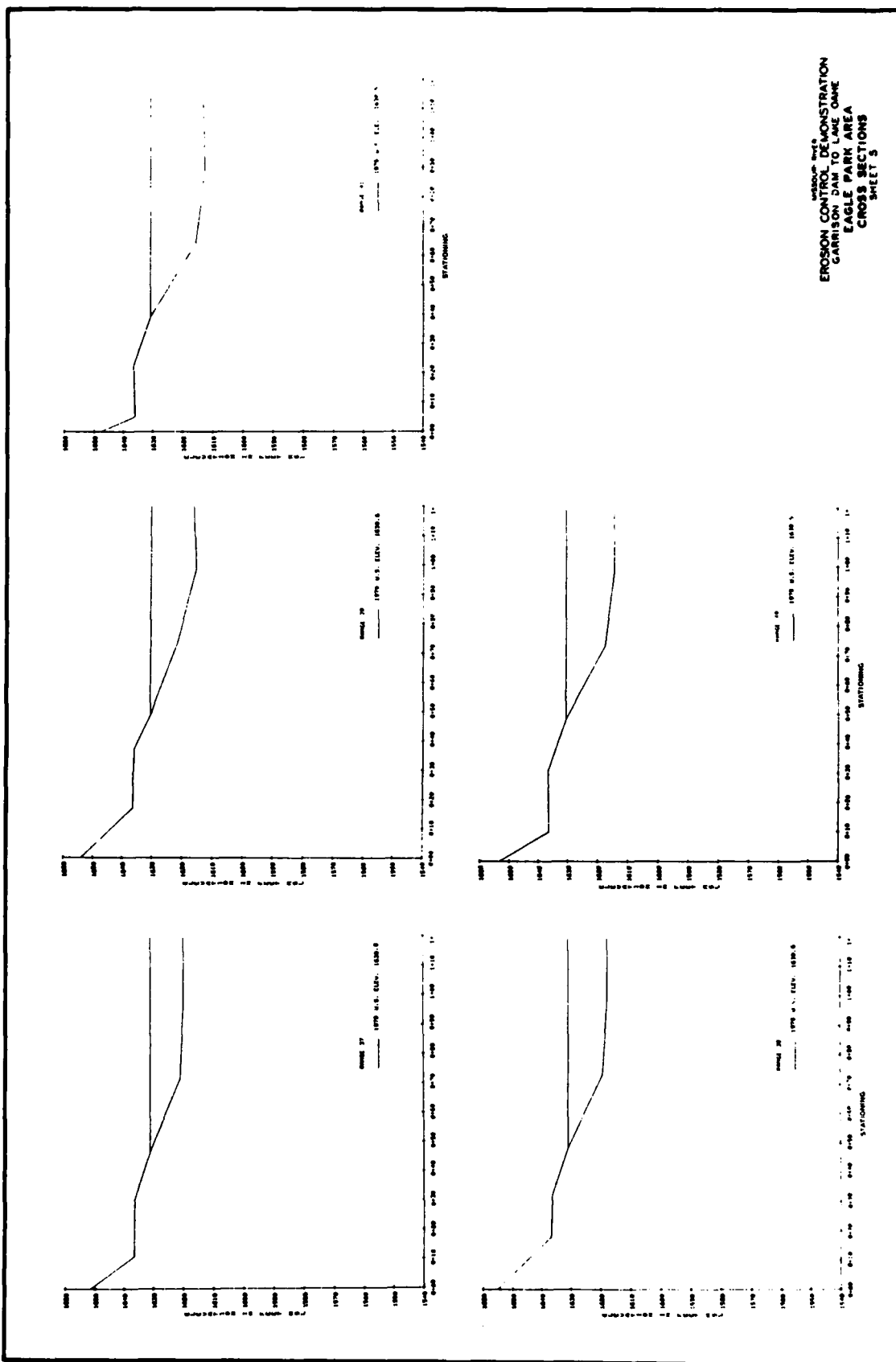


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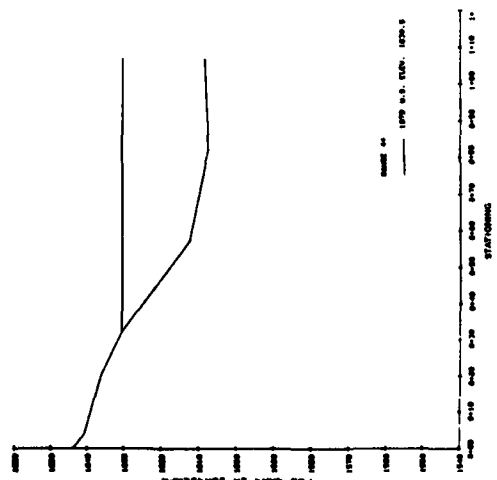
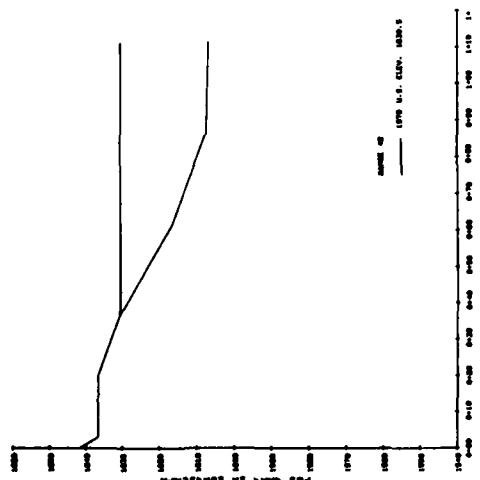
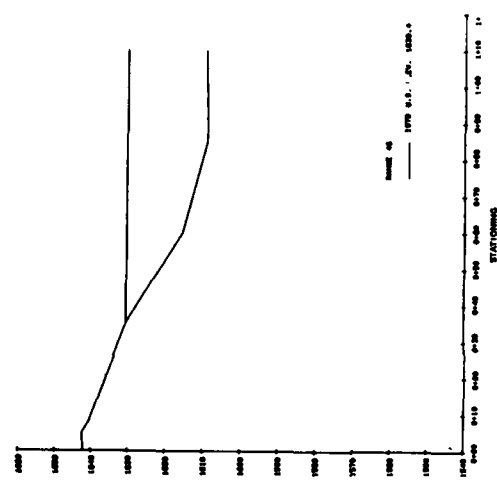
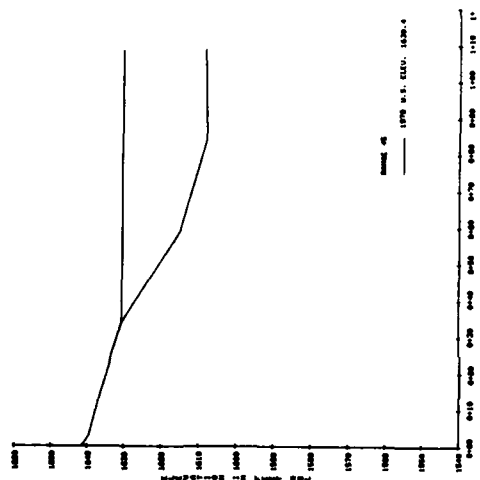


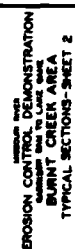
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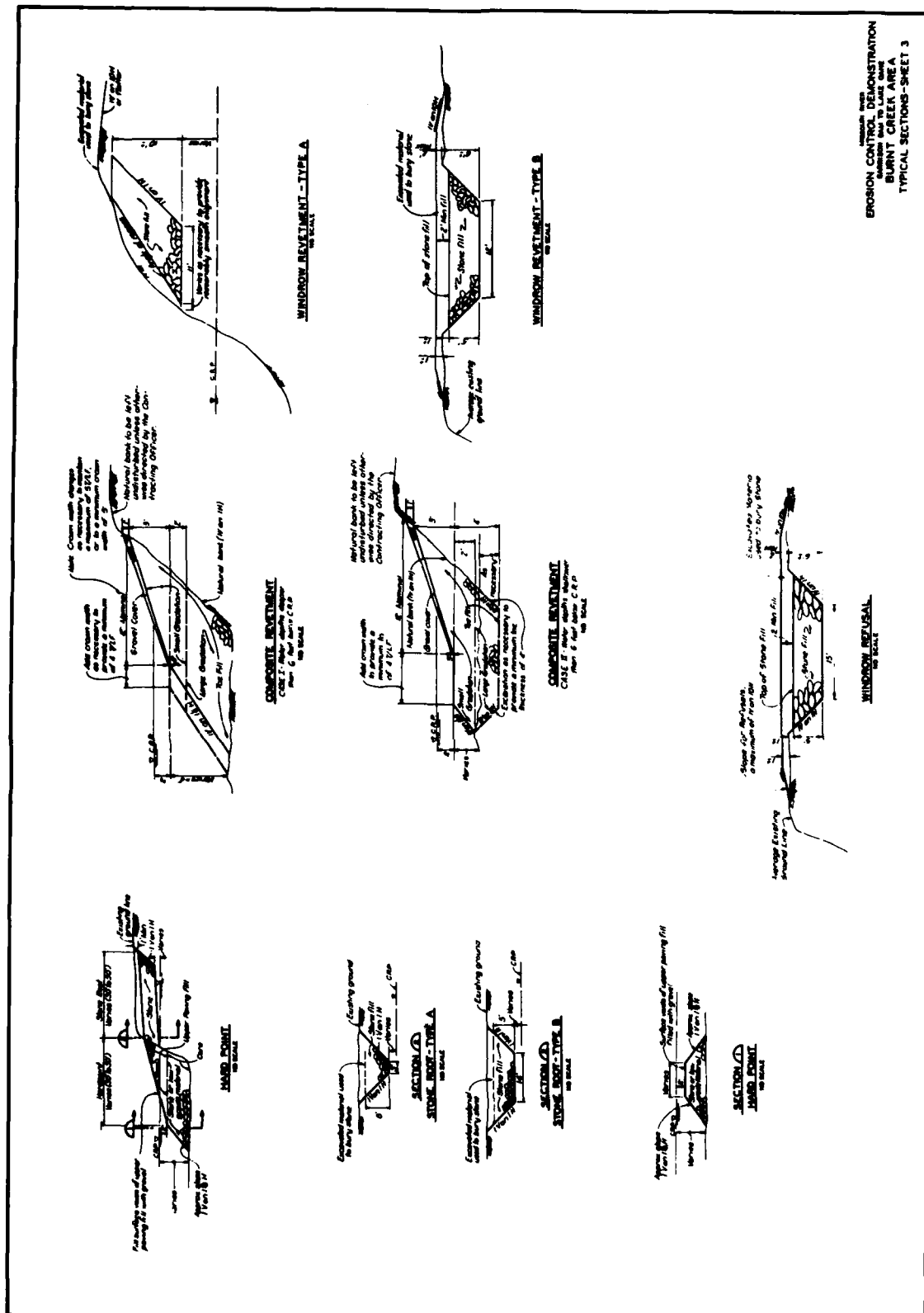


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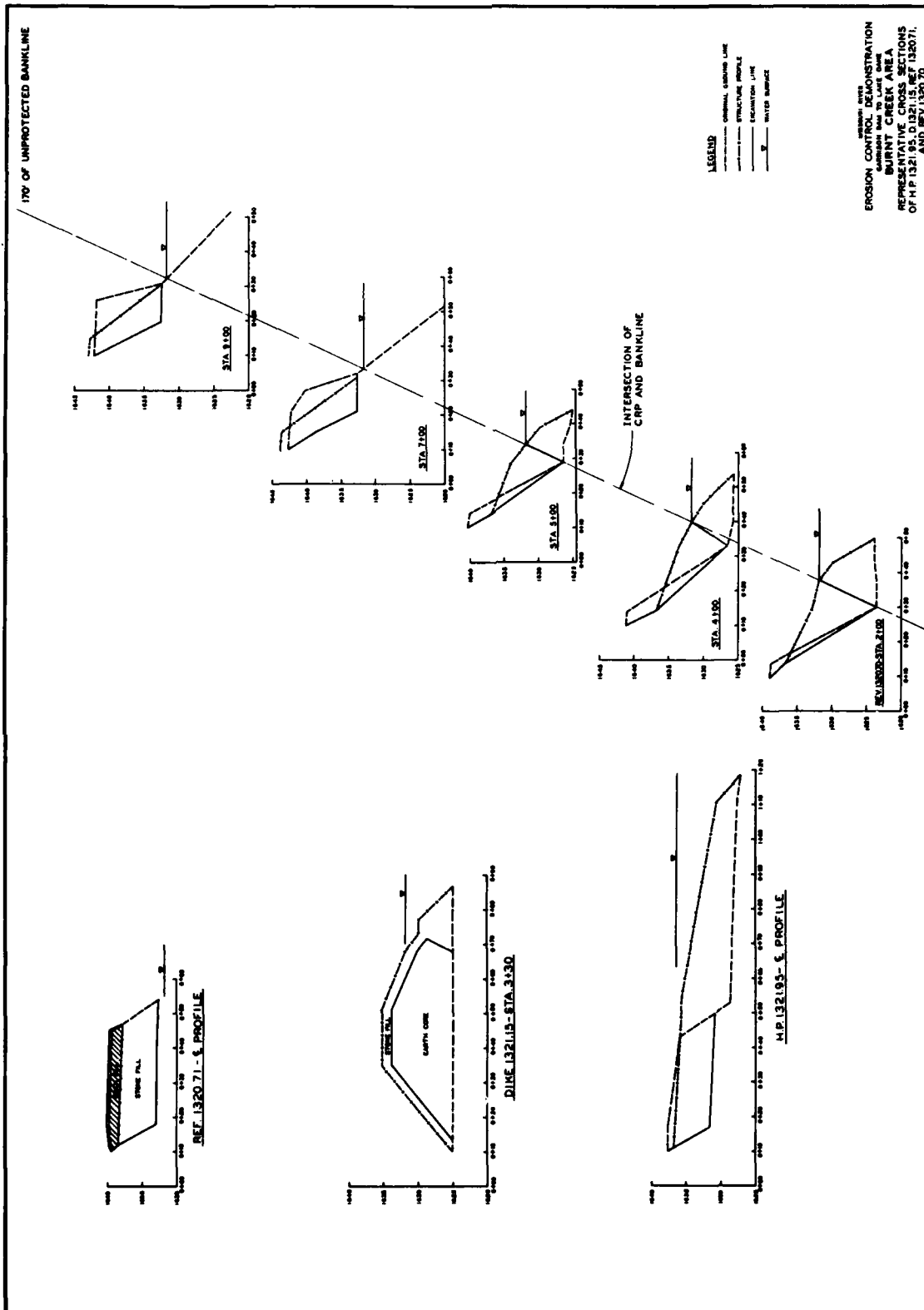


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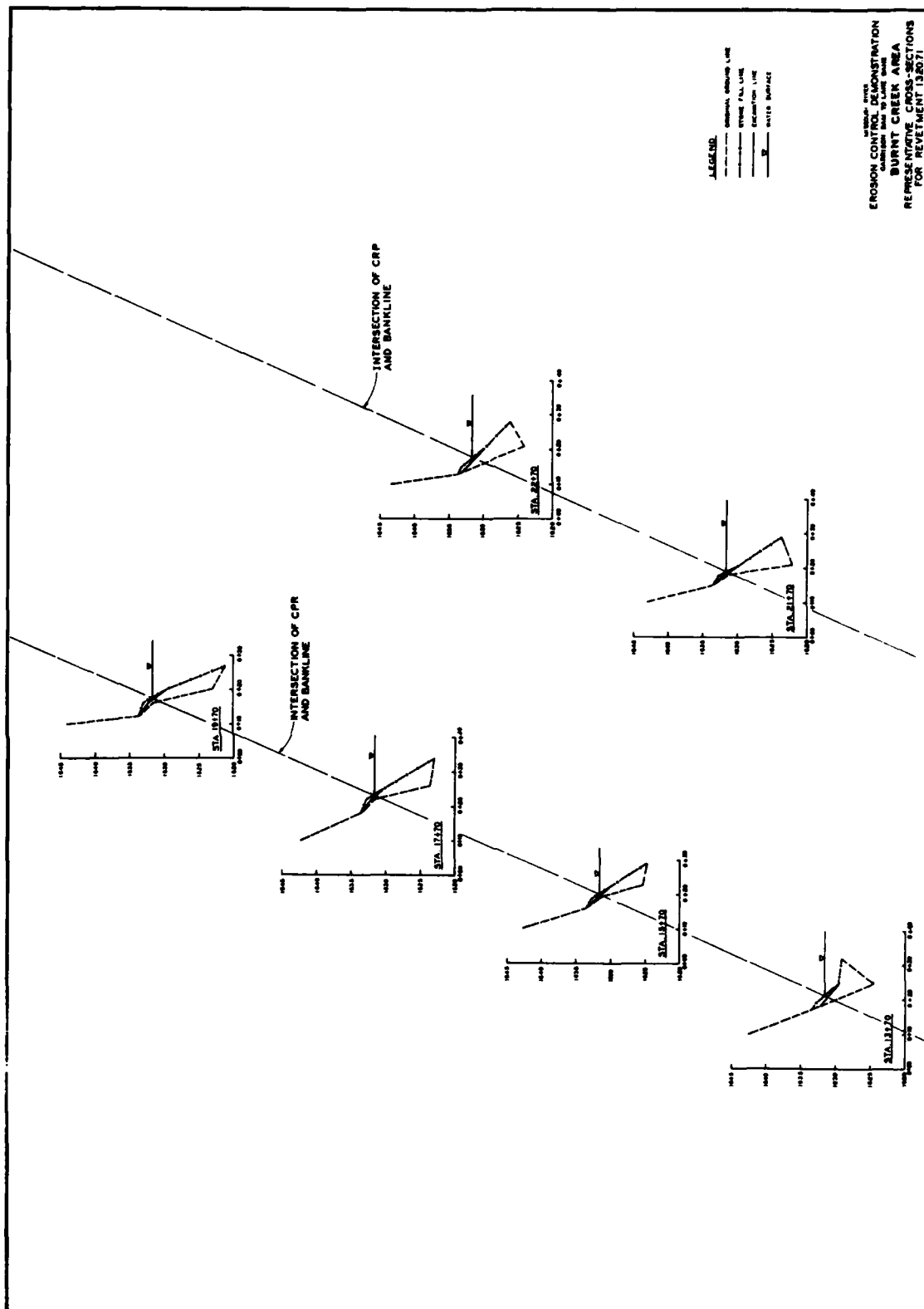


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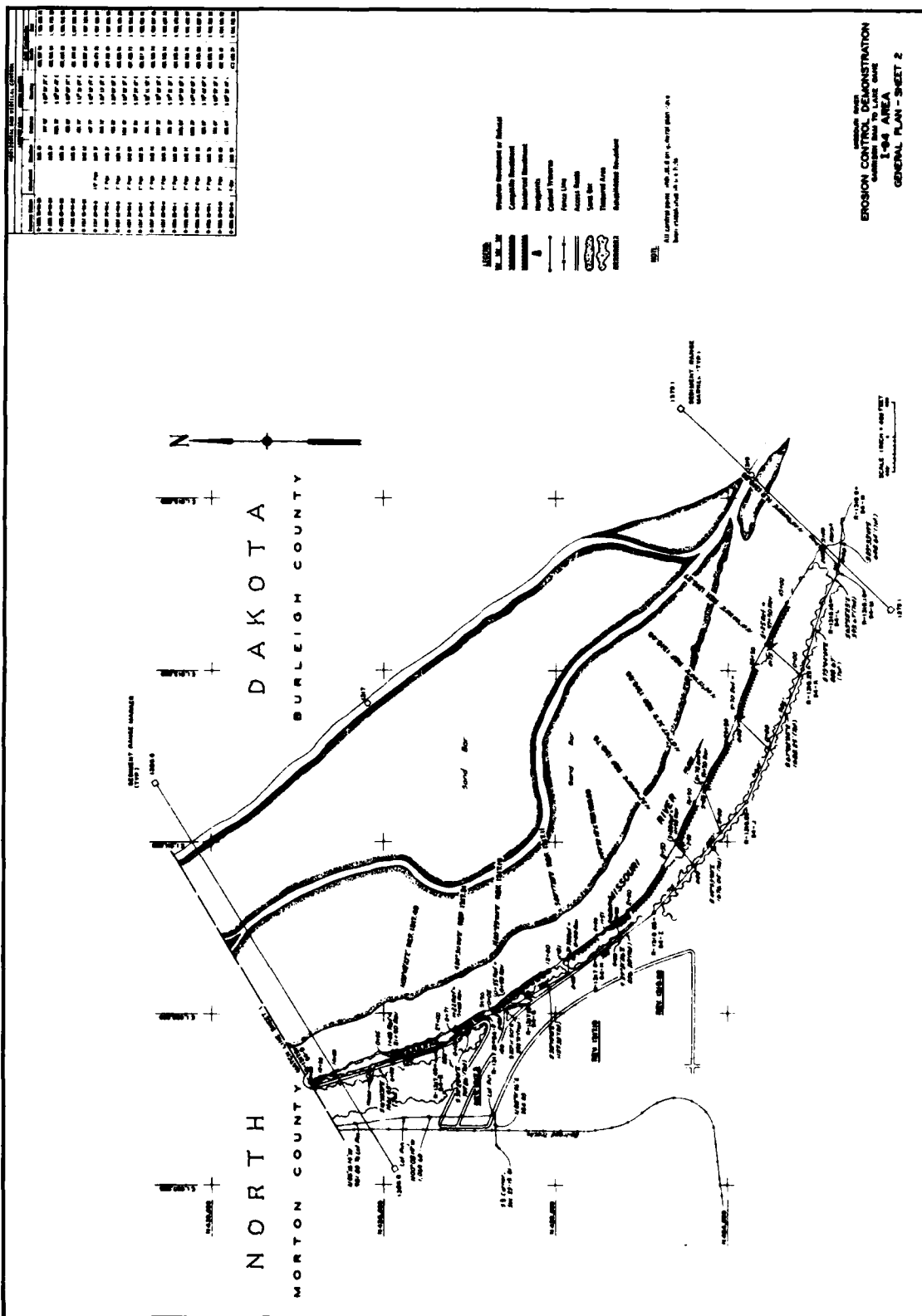
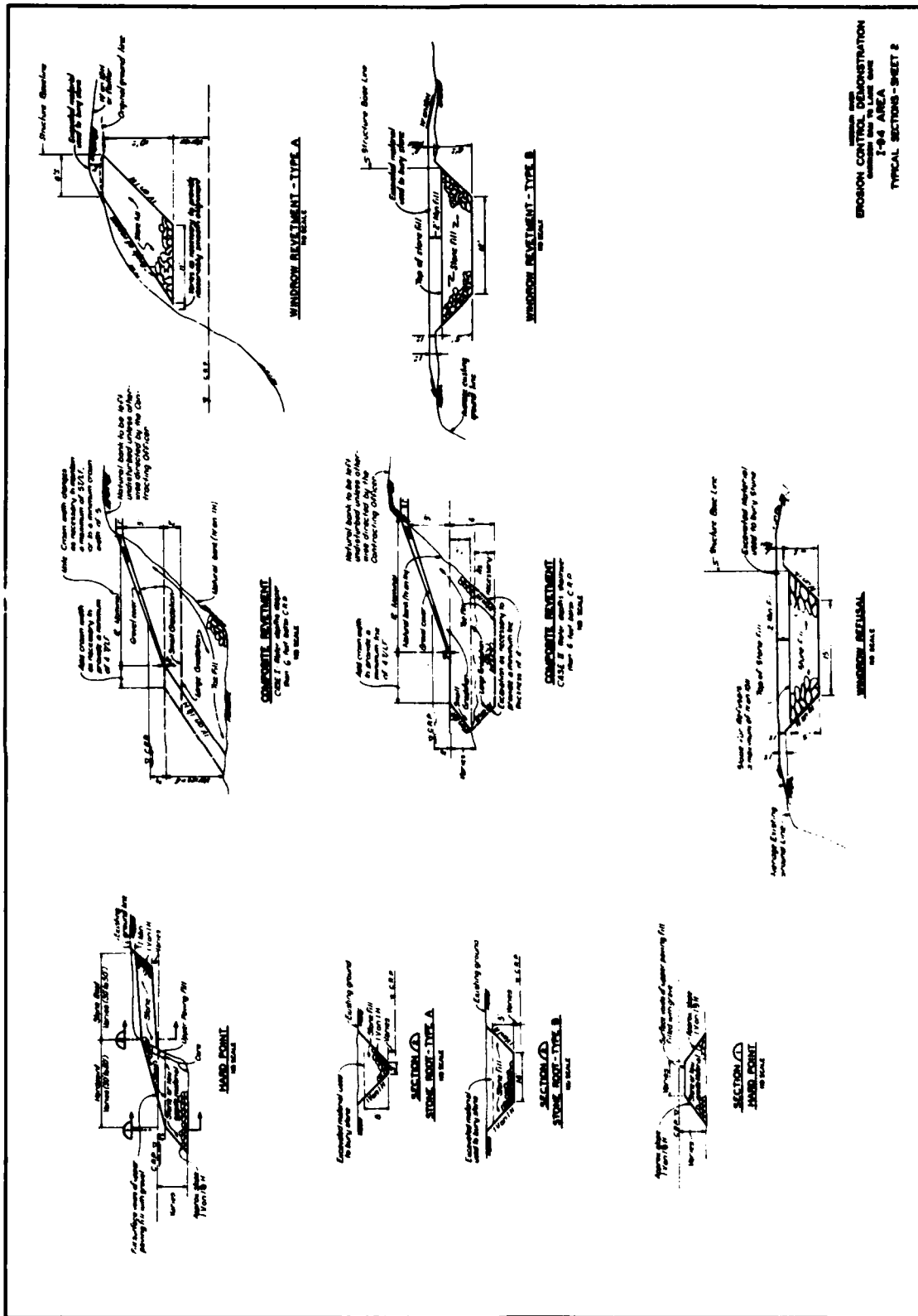


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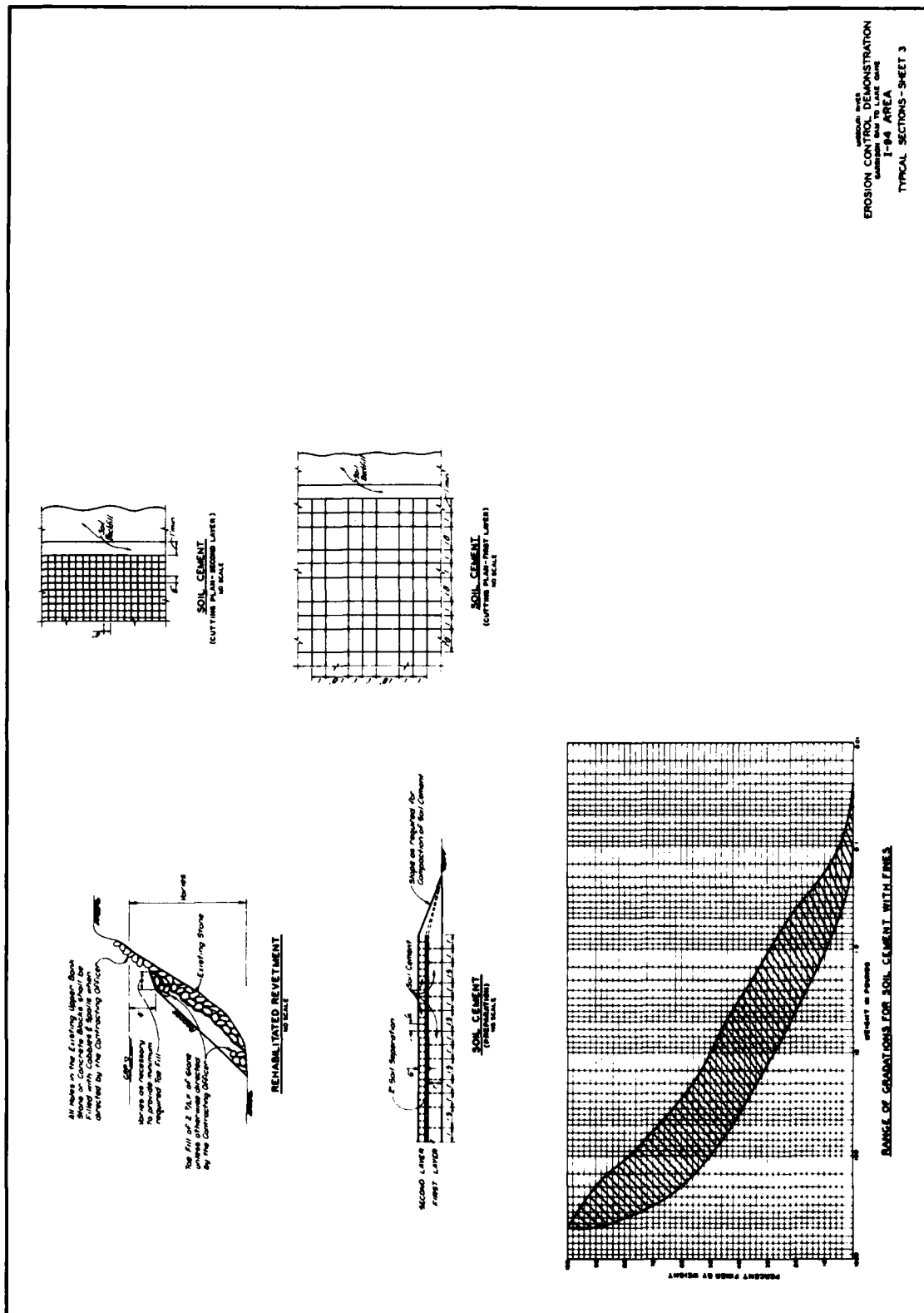




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EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION  
WINDROW REVEIMENT  
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TYPICAL SECTIONS - SHEET 2

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EROSION CONTROL DEMONSTRATION  
TYPICAL SECTIONS - SHEET 3

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Dear Colonel Stipo:

This Fish and Wildlife Report provides an assessment of the Demonstration and Evaluation Program as granted under Section 32 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1974. These comments have been prepared under the authority of and in accordance with the provisions of the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act (48 Stat. 401, as amended; 16 U.S.C. 661 et seq.) and other authorities mandating Department of the Interior concern for environmental values. They are also consistent with the intent of the National Environmental Policy Act. Our report addresses the effects on fish and wildlife resources of the sites already completed and the anticipated effects of future construction. We have also included comments and recommendations on ways to prevent, mitigate or compensate adverse effects of the project on fish and wildlife resources. This report is to accompany the report of the Corps of Engineers, through the Secretary of Army, to Congress. Comments on the conclusions and recommendations of this report by the North Dakota Game and Fish Department (NDGFD) are contained in the attached letter dated February 2, 1981.

Section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act, 87 Stat. 884, as amended, requires that your agency ask the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, whether any listed or proposed endangered or threatened species may be present in the area of each Federal construction project. Prior to construction of any of the stabilization sites, the Corps initiated a Section 7 consultation with the Service that covered whooping cranes (Grus americana), peregrine falcons (Falco peregrinus) and bald eagles (Haliaeetus leucocephalus). After reviewing the Corps biological assessment of each species, the Service, in a letter dated March 10, 1980, agreed that the Section 32 program will not affect whooping cranes or the peregrine falcon but may affect the bald eagle. Our biological opinion stated "The Section 32 Streambank Erosion Control and Demonstration Program is not likely to jeopardize the continued existence of the bald eagle or adversely modify its critical habitat." However, due to scant information available on eagle use and the numerous stabilization sites identified for construction, the Service has been monitoring bald eagles along the Missouri River for the past 2 years. The additional information generated will help insure that eagles or their habitat will not be affected by the Section 32 Program.

On April 4, 1980, the Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) transmitted maps to the Omaha District depicting the location of all the eagle sightings to date. As information is updated, it will be provided to the Corps.

In the view of the Service, the Corps of Engineers is in compliance with Executive Order 11988, Floodplain Management, for construction purposes at the project sites. While construction does take place in the Missouri River floodplain, wildlife habitat and other environmental values may be preserved by bank stabilization.

Description of the Area. The construction sites are located along the 80 miles of free flowing Missouri River in North Dakota. The project is bounded on the north by Garrison Dam and on the south by Lake Oahe. Although most of the Missouri river floodplain has been converted to agricultural use (cropland and hayland) there is still much riparian woodland left. Most exist in woodlots from 50 to 250 acres in size. While cottonwood is the dominant tree species, elm, boxelder, and green ash are also common. Except for the Game Management Areas (lands administered by the NDGFD) the woodlands are used extensively for pasture and feedlots. The river forms a series of braided channels, islands, side chutes and backwater areas (Photo No. 1). Usually the main channel is identifiable except during high flows when a continuous expanse of water extends from bank to bank.



Photo No. 1. Wilton Area  
(Note the woodland pattern)

Fish and Wildlife Resources - Fish. The Missouri River provides the highest quality river fishery in the state. Primary game fish species are walleye, sauger, northern pike, rainbow and brown trout, and coho and chinook salmon. Important nongame species include channel catfish, white bass, goldeyes, carp, buffalo and shovelnose sturgeon. The river has been rated as Class I, Highest Valued Fishery Resource by the NDGFD. It provides fish species that are of high interest to area anglers. The good quality, cold water that is released at Garrison Dam helps to maintain the fishery.

Wildlife. The riparian woodlands found along the Missouri River provide some of the best wildlife habitat in the state. Two big game species, white-tailed deer and turkeys, attain their highest population levels along the Missouri River. Recent NDGFD surveys indicate that approximately 3,000 deer and 2,000-2,500 turkeys winter between Garrison Dam and Bismarck. In addition, waterfowl rest during migration on the numerous sandbars. In an average year, 2,000-4,000 mallard ducks winter on the open river below the dam.

The Missouri River also provides quality habitat for a wide range of resident nongame species including a host of songbirds and small mammals. Avian species include the red-tailed hawk, brown thrasher, least flycatcher, western meadowlark and orchard oriole. Common mammal species include beaver, muskrat, long-tailed weasel and badger. Least terns, uncommon in North Dakota, have been known to nest on the numerous sandbars on the Missouri River.

Description of the Project. When the Section 32 Program was authorized for construction, 21 sites were identified in North Dakota as having severe erosion problems. They were Eagle Park, Sanger, 4-H Camp, Sandstone Bluff I and II, Burnt Creek, I-94, Fort Lincoln, Horseshoe Butte, Price I and II, Pretty Point, Wildwood Lake, Coal Lake Coulee, Knife Point I & II, Hancock, Custer Flats, Pioneer Park, Indian Mounds and Wogansport. Of these 21 sites, only Eagle Park, Sanger, 4-H Camp, Sandstone Bluff I & II, Burnt Creek and I-94 have been completed.

The types of bankline protection may vary from site to site. Hardpoints, windrow revetment, composite revetment, tree retards, earth core dikes and vane dikes are some of the more common techniques used. Generally the type of protection used depended on the nature of the erosion problem. For example, windrow revetment may be used next to long stretches of presently eroding irregular bankline. Hardpoints are better suited for long straight sections of bankline not subject to direct attack by river currents.

Construction methods consist of two types; from land or floating plant (barge). A land based operation is used when access to the stabilization site can be accomplished with minimal clearing or using existing roads and trails in the area. A barge is used at sites where extensive tree and shrub clearing would be necessary to complete the work (Photo No. 2).



Photo No. 2. I-94 Area

Effects on Fish and Wildlife Resources - Fish. Adverse impacts to the aquatic ecosystem have been minimal. In fact, there could be some minor positive effects. The rock used in many of the revetments provides a suitable substrate for invertebrates (Photo. 3). At the I-94 site, colonization by mayflies (Ephemeroptera) and caddis flies (Trichoptera), as well as other invertebrates, were noted. These invertebrates help to increase the food base for many river fishes. It should be recognized, however, that the overall contribution to the food base is very small. With 160 miles of shoreline of the free flowing Missouri River in North Dakota, a few hundred or few thousand feet of submerged rock will not significantly increase the food base of the river.

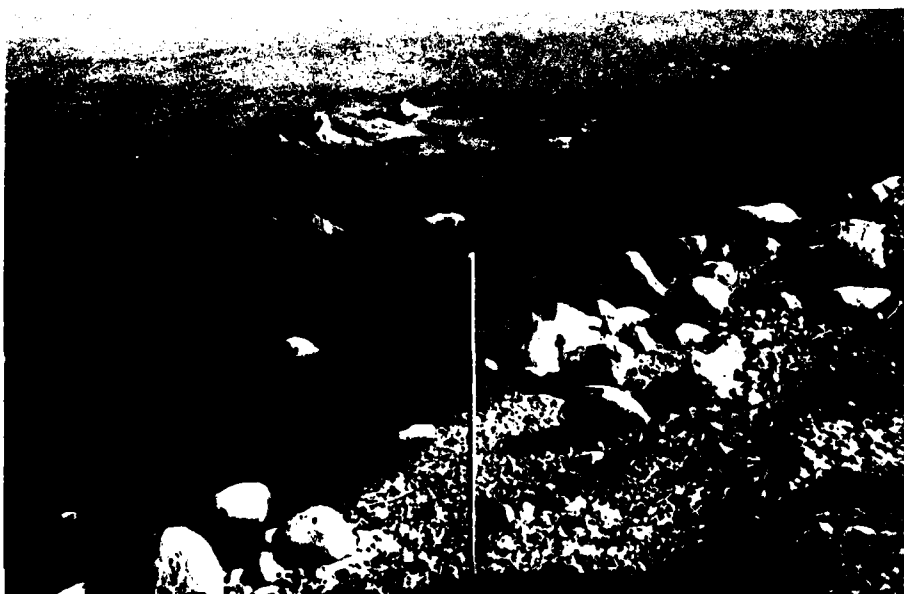


Photo No. 3. Rock Substrate, I-94 Area

At the Sanger site, a large backwater area was created behind the earth-core dike (Photo No. 4). In these backwater areas the water warms up faster and submerged aquatics have a chance to become established. This type of habitat provides a nursery area for many fishes including walleye, northern pike, crappie, white bass, white sucker and carp. Previous sampling efforts in areas similar to this one has confirmed this conclusion.

One problem with the earth-core dikes is that the area behind them has a tendency to become silted in or the lower end closes off completely. If this is combined with a decrease in the water releases from the dam, many small pools remain and the fish become stranded. The environmental notches and culverts through the dike were supposed to keep the areas behind the dikes from becoming silted in. While this is good in theory, it does not appear to have worked well in practice. At one site, instead of a large backwater area below a culvert, a narrow, shallow channel had been formed. As river levels receded, an isolated chute developed, deepest by the dike and dry at the lower end. This type of situation does little to benefit the fishery and can actually be a detriment to it. Young-of-the-year fish that might have stayed in the main river are now trapped in these isolated pools.



No. 4. - Sanger

Wildlife. Concerns over wildlife impacts were raised because of the anticipated woodland clearing that could result from the bank being stabilized. To date, this has not happened at any of the seven completed sites. Because of the present economy clearing may take years to plan and complete. The FWS has stressed the need for the project sponsor or construction agency to secure a 200 foot woodland preservation easement along the river. This would not only protect riparian habitat, but preserve eagle roost/perch trees. Unfortunately, the project sponsor has been reluctant to take such action. Thus woodland protection has not been assured.



Project construction has resulted in minimal habitat destruction. To date, we have documented approximately 3 acres of habitat lost. This all occurred at the Sanger site where a brushy hillside was cleared and the area was used as a borrow site (other previously cleared areas were already available). At other sites, individual trees have also been lost either due to direct removal for a project feature or because of structure placement (Photo 5). Generally, the amount of land involved is too small to quantify or would have been lost to erosion.



No. 5 - Eagle Park

Plan of Development for Fish & Wildlife Resources. Although there is no specific language for mitigation in the authorization for the Section 32 program, habitat losses have been and will be identified. At the end of the program all habitat losses will be totalled and a mitigation plan developed. We will request that our final coordination report accompany the Corps' report to Congress and that provisions be made to mitigate all identified habitat losses. Woodland and brushy draws are the only two habitat types identified to date that would require compensation and the acreages involved have been relatively small. A standard rate of replacement for woody habitat losses will be used. After reviewing projects that involved the loss of woody vegetation, the NDGFD recommends that a 2:1 ratio be used to determine the amount of replacement habitat needed. That is, two acres of similar habitat is needed for every acre lost. Since three two acres of habitat was lost at the Sanger Site, six acres of similar habitat is needed for compensation.

An alternate approach to securing additional land would be to revegetate the project area to the pre-project conditions. As previously mentioned, habitat losses involve small acreages, this restoration is confined to a localized area. Restoration of the woody hillside at the Sanger site is a good example. With minimal effort the site could be restored to pre-project conditions.

Experimental vegetative plantings were made on the stabilization structures at the Sanger and Burnt Creek sites. It is questionable if any of the plantings will benefit wildlife. Human development and activity in the area will preclude wildlife use. It does, however, improve the aesthetics of the area. Another problem was that this summer many of the plants were under water and Missouri River water stages were about normal. It might have been better to use the plants in cleared areas on the shoreline.

At the present time, oats and wheat are seeded on the disturbed areas. These monotypic stands do little to duplicate or replace the plants that were lost to construction. A different seed mixture was described in the project specifications, but evidently the plan was not followed. If the areas were sprigged with indigenous brushy vegetation, recovery of the area would be more rapid and be of more benefit to wildlife.

The best approach we have seen to mitigate losses is to prevent habitat losses from occurring. Construction can avoid important habitat types if properly planned. Many of the sites have existing roads or trails into them, thus the need for haul roads can be eliminated.

It is our observation that positive attempts have been made to keep the impacts of construction at a minimal level. Haul roads have been routed around existing trees or where construction is necessary in a wooded area, the right-of-way is kept to a minimum. In most cases the tree loss in the right-of-way would have occurred anyway because of the rapidly eroding bank.

An alternative to constructing stabilization structures from a tree lined bank is the use of a floating plant (barge). This was used at both the I-94 and Eagle Park sites. An advantage to this construction technique is that no shoreline clearing needs to be done except for the refusals at the upper end of each revetment.

#### Recommendations

\*Since there is no guarantee that riparian woodland will not be cleared once stabilization is completed, a woodland preservation easement is still needed. Project sponsors should be made aware of the problem and they should be strongly encouraged to take the necessary precautions against post-project clearing; particularly in areas where bald eagle use is the greatest.

\*A vegetative plan should be developed and implemented to replace all identified habitat losses. This eliminates the need for a mitigation plan and improves the aesthetics of the project area.

\*Tree clearing for haul roads and construction yards should be minimized as much as possible. In many cases, existing roads, trails and fields or forest openings can be used. In areas where tree clearing is necessary for haul roads, it should be kept to the absolute minimum.

\*Project construction should be monitored more closely by the Corps. This will help insure that the project specifications and FWS recommendations are implemented.

\*Construction activity should be halted or modified in the wintertime in those portions of the open water reaches that are used by bald eagles.

\*Every effort should be made and projects modified, if necessary, to protect individual trees used for perching/hunting sites by eagles. These trees are usually large cottonwoods (50-60 feet) within 5 meters of the shoreline. The results of our winter surveys have pinpointed these trees.

\*Where tree clearing is inevitable with conventional techniques, a barge should be used as an alternative construction method.

\*Approximately 6 acres of compensation or a revegetation plan is needed to offset wildlife habitat losses at the Sanger site.

Overall, the Section 32 Program in North Dakota is going smoothly with only minor environmental effects observed on the seven completed sites. We have made some preliminary reviews of the 14 remaining stabilization sites and do not foresee any major environmental problems provided that project features, locations, methods or theories of construction do not change and coordination continues.

This project has been unique in that there has been excellent coordination and cooperation between the Corps and the Service. In several instances project specifications were designed to minimize environmental damage. Any problem that we could foresee with regard to wildlife habitat or bald eagles, were brought to the attention of the Corps District or site inspectors. A meeting or on-site review was immediately called and any problems or delays were alleviated. While this required extra time being spent on pre-project reviews, on-site meetings, inspections of construction activities and such, it has resulted in virtually no habitat losses.

This concludes our Interim Fish and Wildlife Coordination Report. Please contact us if you have any further questions.

Sincerely yours,

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Dear Mr. Key:

We have reviewed the above referenced document and concur with  
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**MISSOURI RIVER, FORT RANDALL DAM TO  
NIOBRARA, NEBRASKA AND SOUTH DAKOTA**

## APPENDIX E-2

### Section 32 Program Streambank Erosion Control Evaluation and Demonstration Act of 1974

#### MISSOURI RIVER, FORT RANDALL DAM TO NIOBRARA; NEBRASKA AND SOUTH DAKOTA DEMONSTRATION PROJECT PERFORMANCE REPORT

## I - INTRODUCTION

### A. PROJECT NAMES AND LOCATIONS.

The Omaha District constructed two demonstration projects in the reach of the Missouri River from Ft. Randall to Niobrara. The Sunshine Bottom project, located on the right bank of the Missouri River between river miles 869 and 866 (1960 mileage), was completed in August 1979. Construction of the White Swan project, located on the left bank between river mile 870 and 868, was initiated in September of 1980, and was completed in May 1981. Plate 0-1 shows the location of these projects.

### B. AUTHORITY.

The authority for the projects in this reach is Public Law 93-251, Water Resources Development Act of 1974, Section 32 "Streambank Erosion Control Evaluation and Demonstration Act of 1974," and the House Report No. 95-1247, "Public Works for Water and Power Development and Energy Research Appropriations Bill of 1979," which specifically authorized the White Swan Area.

### C. PURPOSE AND SCOPE.

The purpose and scope of this report is to describe the bank erosion problems, the types of bank protection used, and performance evaluations of the two Section 32 demonstration projects.

### D. PROBLEM RESUME.

The flood plain in this reach of the Missouri River Valley has always been subject to severe erosion. Historically, however, the sediment load,

combined with annual flood events, maintained a relatively constant total land area within the river meander belt through the formation of accretion lands equal in area, elevation, and fertility to the lands lost to erosion. Construction of Fort Randall Dam eliminated the upstream sediment supply and flooding in this open river reach, thereby virtually eliminating the accretion cycle. Hence, high bank areas now being eroded represent a continuing and permanent loss of a very valuable and irreplaceable resource. Flood control operation of Ft. Randall Dam results in an average daily discharge of about 30,000 c.f.s. from April through November; however, during high runoff years this may increase to 50,000 c.f.s. or more. Periods of above normal discharge required to evacuate flood storage in the reservoir may aggravate the already severe erosion problems. Certain increments within the reach have very high erosion losses, and the problem is compounded by the non-uniformity of the erosion. The valley is relatively narrow; hence, the impact of the losses is more pronounced. Site selections for installation of erosion protection were based on previously documented erosion complaints and field reconnaissances, as well as the following criteria: consideration of comparative erosion rates; land use; environmental factors (i.e., site adaptability to various potential erosion control measures); and availability of a qualified local governmental entity willing to provide sponsorship for erosion control demonstrations.

## II - HISTORICAL DESCRIPTION

### A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

#### 1. GEOMORPHOLOGY

a. Physiography. Along the Fort Randall to Niobrara reach, the Missouri River leaves the Great Plains Physiographic Province and enters the Central Lowland Physiographic Province. The Missouri River Valley through South Dakota constitutes the Missouri River Trench physical division. The Missouri River Trench trends southeastward, is 1-1/2 to 5 miles wide, and cuts to a depth of 300 to 650 feet into the Missouri Plateau. The walls of the trench have a rugged "badlands" topography. To the northeast, into South Dakota, is the gently rolling, poorly drained, glaciated terrain of the Coteau du Missouri. To the southwest, into Nebraska, is a well-integrated drainage system within the mature, moderately sloped terrain of the Pierre Hills. This drainage system has been rejuvenated by continued entrenchment of the Missouri River, and steep-sided youthful valleys are being eroded into the mature upland hills. The river valley along most of this reach is an entrenched glacial melt-water channel at the southwestern margin of glaciated eastern South Dakota. During the mid-Pleistocene Period melt water ran along the front of the Illinoian Glacier which had advanced into South Dakota. When the glacier retreated, the melt-water channel had been entrenched sufficiently to form the infant Missouri River. The river trench was partly filled during the later Wisconsin glaciation, but the river retrenched its valley in the Recent period.

b. Topography. The entrenchment of the Missouri River through relatively high, rolling plains formed the topography along this portion of the river. The river valley in this area is occasionally lined by older river terraces and often intersected by steep tributary ravines. The valley at



Fort Randall Dam is approximately 8,000 feet wide with a low flood plain elevation of about 1250. The uplands in the vicinity of the dam range from an elevation of 1450 feet in the northeast to an elevation of 2000 feet toward the southwest.

c. Geology. The rock formations along this reach of river are well indurated and compacted sedimentary marine deposits of the upper cretaceous period. The stratigraphic sequence in ascending order is Carlile shale, Niobrara chalk and Pierre shale. Plates 0-2 and 0-3 show the geologic profile.

The bedrock beneath the alluvial river bed is the Carlile shale formation. The entire formation is approximately 265 feet thick, but below the river channel the upper 100 feet have been eroded away and is covered by valley overburden. Carlile shale consists of silty, sandy, or sometimes limy shale with interbedded sandstone in places. The top 10 feet of the formation is silty to sandy shale which is poorly consolidated and contains limy nodules. This bed grades into an underlying 10-foot section of subfirm, thinly bedded, waxy shale. The 25-foot thick Codell Member is next in sequence, consisting of brown, friable, medium grained, cross-bedded sandstone. This is underlain by a 25-foot section of interbedded sandy shale and sandstone. The remaining formation is firm, waxy, silty shale which becomes increasingly calcareous toward the base. It is the firm, waxy, silty shale section that forms the bedrock floor in the river's flood plain.

The Niobrara chalk, which forms the majority of the trench walls along this reach, is the most prominent Cretaceous formation, varying in thickness from 105 to 185 feet. It commonly forms prominent cliffs along the river. The Niobrara Formation is a dark gray, argillaceous, soft but firm chalk and chalky shale which contains many microscopic shells of Foraminifera and Ostracoda. When closely examined the chalk has a salt-and-pepper appearance

due to light colored shell and clastic fragments in a darker groundmass. The color changes to a buff or light gray when the formation is weathered. Thin layers of bentonitic clay with thicknesses up to 2 inches occur throughout the formation, but they are more concentrated in the upper 20 feet.

Pierre shale overlies the Niobrara chalk, rising above the chalk cliffs as grass covered slopes. The Pierre shale contact with the underlying Niobrara Formation occurs sharply at about elevation 1320. The formation is susceptible to landsliding, and it may be generally described as a non-calcareous to highly calcareous, gray, green, brown or black, tough, gummy, marine shale with zones of bentonite seams and iron-manganese concretions.

Overburden along this reach of the river consists of glacial till, valley fill (alluvium), river terrace and loess deposits. The glacial till is a heterogeneous mixture of clay, silt, sand, gravel and boulders with numerous fragments of shale and chalk. The till has a maximum thickness of 90 feet in the vicinity of Ft. Randall Dam, but is generally less than 50 feet. Unsorted glacial deposits blanket the uplands along much of the east side of the trench and are exposed in many places along the east wall of the trench. Till occurs chiefly in small isolated patches on the west side of the trench primarily at lower elevations. Valley fill consists of alluvial sand which ranges from fine to medium in grain size. The fine-to-medium sizes predominate throughout this fill, but with increasing depth the sand becomes more coarse and in part, gravelly. The thickness of alluvium varies across the river bottom from a relatively shallow depth to a maximum thickness of 175 feet. Some thin layers of gravel occur in this material, but they appear to be restricted lenses with no great lateral extent. There are also occasional small seams of clay, silty sand, lime and lignite float. The lower deposits are probably of glacial origin. River terraces consist of poorly compacted alluvial clays, silts and sands. The material is generally lean to fat clay which contains an appreciable amount of silt. The loess consists of

uniform silt sized grains for the most part, with some fine sand sizes. The loess forms a patchy blanket along the Missouri River trench walls and on the bordering uplands. In most of the Fort Randall area, it is a few inches to a few feet in thickness, although thicknesses of 30 feet or more are present in some areas.

2. VALLEY LAND USE. The use of the valley lands landward of the high bank is predominantly agricultural. Much of the remaining flood plain forest is as yet uncleared land adjacent to the river banks. There is a developing trend, throughout the reach, to construct private homes and private recreational facilities along the riverbanks.

3. HYDROLOGIC AND METEOROLOGIC CHARACTERISTICS. The Ft. Randall Dam to Niobrara River reach of the Missouri River has a climate typical of the interior of large continents in middle latitude. It has moderate rainfall, low humidity, hot summers, cold winters, great variations in temperature and rainfall from year to year, and frequent changes in weather from day to day or week to week.

In an average year, the annual precipitation totals 24 inches. Most of the precipitation comes during the warmer months from April to September, almost wholly in the form of showers and thunderstorms. Practically all precipitation in the colder months is in the form of snow. June is normally the wettest month and averages 4.4 inches. January is normally the driest month and averages 0.5 inch.

The daily maximum and minimum temperatures for July, the warmest month, average 89°F. and 62°F., respectively. The daily maximum and minimum temperatures for January, the coldest month, average 31°F. and 8°F. The average

length of the frost-free period is 150 days, with the last freezing temperatures in the spring near May 6 and the first freezing temperatures in autumn near October 3.

The projected 100-year release from Ft. Randall Dam is 75,000 c.f.s. With no major tributaries in the reach between Ft. Randall Dam and the Niobrara River, local flooding has generally been an infrequent occurrence.

4. EXISTING CHANNEL CONDITIONS. The Ft. Randall Dam to Niobrara Reach of the Missouri River is essentially a meandering stream regulated by Ft. Randall Dam. This reach consists of 36.3 river miles, and 16 bankline miles of the reach are in bluff contact (control points). Power peaking at the dam results in fluctuations of the water level from 2.5 to 11.0 feet, decreasing in amplitude in the downstream direction. Essentially all river stages in the open river reach downstream of the dam have been confined within the channel below the high river banks, with the exception of the 10-mile reach upstream of the Niobrara river confluence; here, backwaters caused by Niobrara River delta deposits in the Missouri River channel have resulted in flooding during higher than normal releases from the dam.

5. ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS. The relatively unaltered reaches of the Missouri River support a fish community of a minimum of 50 species. Schmulbach et. al. (1975) listed 113 species that could occur in the Missouri River. Most recent fish fauna surveys have reported 40 to 50 species. Sauger, carp, channel catfish, freshwater drum, and white bass are the most abundant fish in the fisherman's creel. Sport fish harvest rates from the Missouri River were comparable with those from smaller warmwater rivers in the upper Midwest (Groen and Schmulbach 1978).

The continued existence of the fish community and the fishery of this Missouri River reach is dependent on the maintenance of the variety of habitats that exist in the unaltered reaches. Kallemeyn and Novotny (1977) concluded that even though some fish species exhibited preferences for particular habitats, most required several habitats to successfully complete their life span. Thus, disruption of the system of habitats in a river reach will result in widespread changes in the fish community. Such changes are evident in the channelized Missouri River where the total aquatic surface area per linear mile has been reduced to one-third of that on an equal distance in the unchannelized river (Morris et. al. 1968). Researchers have found that fish are more abundant in the unchannelized rather than the channelized river and that the diversity of the fish population declines as the habitat becomes less variable (Funk and Robison 1974, Schmulbach et. al. 1975).

Species that evolved under riverine conditions, such as sturgeon, paddlefish, and certain chubs and minnows, are particularly susceptible to habitat alteration. Where the Missouri River has been impounded or channelized, these species have either disappeared or been reduced to extremely low numbers. The reductions have caused the South Dakota Department of Game, Fish and Parks to place the pallid sturgeon, sturgeon chub (Hybopsis Gelida), and sicklefin chub (Hybopsis meeki) on its list of threatened fish, while the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission has designated the pallid sturgeon and lake sturgeon (Acipenser fluvescens) as threatened.

The various habitats that exist in and along the unaltered reaches of the Missouri River support a large and diverse wildlife community. In his study of the wildlife habitats along the unchannelized Missouri River in South Dakota, Clapp (1976) presented lists of the mammals, birds, reptiles, and amphibians that may be expected to occur in the area.

Mammals include 51 species, with small mammals such as mice, voles, bats, moles, rats, and ground squirrels comprising over 50 percent of the species. Furbearers in the area are beaver, muskrat, mink, red fox, raccoon, coyote, skunk, and opossum. The area also supports populations of Eastern cottontail and fox squirrel, both of which are classified by South Dakota and Nebraska as small game animals. White-tailed deer, a big game animal, are present in significant numbers; and occasionally mule deer are seen. The extensive breaks along the Nebraska side of the river, coupled with the interspersed brush, timber, and cultivated land on the floodplain, comprise good deer habitat.

Birds in the region include 269 species, of which 29 are classified as being permanent residents of southeastern South Dakota. An additional 96 species are summer residents. Another 25 species commonly winter in the area. Over 115 species use the corridor regularly on their spring migration and 110 use it during the fall migration.

The bald eagle, an endangered species, winters on the open (unimpounded) reaches of the Missouri River downstream of both Gavins Point and Fort Randall Dams. The eagles usually arrive in November and remain until March or early April. They use the large cottonwoods along the river for roosting and as perches from which they spot prey. In early winter, they feed primarily on fish. Later in the season, they eat waterfowl, upland game animals, and carrion.

The first National Wildlife Refuge created specifically for bald eagles is located 2 miles downstream from Fort Randall Dam, primarily on the timbered flood plain of the Missouri River. The eagles winter in stands of mature cottonwoods adjacent to an open water. The river, which is ice-free throughout the winter, provides an abundance of fish, such as goldeye, shad,

and white bass, plus wintering ducks and geese (mostly mallard and Canada geese). In 1967, a peak of 283 eagles was observed, establishing the Fort Randall population of wintering eagles as the largest in the contiguous 48 states.

Although nongame birds comprise the largest percentage of the bird fauna in the river corridor, game birds receive most of the public attention. Pheasant, bobwhite quail, and mourning dove use the mosaic of forest, brush, and agricultural lands on the flood plain. The flood plain offers fair to good hunting for these species. Although turkeys live on both sides of the river, the largest numbers live in the wooded breaks on the Nebraska side of the river. In this area, the State of Nebraska has a spring hunting season for male turkeys.

The open (unimpounded) reaches of the Missouri River are particularly important to many species of migratory waterfowl and shorebirds because of the project's location within the Central Flyway. Thousands of ducks and geese use the river as a staging area as they migrate to their northern nesting grounds. In addition, mallard, gadwall, blue-winged teal, shoveler, and wood duck nest along the river. The open river reaches provide quality waterfowl hunting. The principal ducks harvested are mallard, pintail, green-winged and blue-winged teal, scaup, gadwall, and baldpate, while hunters also take blue, snow and Canada geese. Sites for hunting blinds are in great demand along both river reaches, with the number of blinds averaging five per mile.

The amphibians and reptiles that may occur in the project area include one salamander species, nine species of frogs and toads, five turtle species, two lizard species, and twelve species of snakes. The South Dakota Department of Game, Fish and Parks has placed several species that live in the area

on its list of threatened species; they are the false map turtle, Eastern hognose snake, and lined snake.

## **B. DEMONSTRATION PROJECT REACH**

### **1. HYDRAULIC CHARACTERISTICS**

a. Channel Widths and Depths. The floodway width (distance between high banks) at the Sunshine Bottom Area ranges from 3,600 feet to 2,000 feet and at the White Swan Area ranges from 3,500 feet down to 2,000 feet. The distance between high banks over the entire reach averages over 3,000 feet and varies from 1,000 feet to 7,500 feet. The main channel width at the Sunshine Bottom Area ranges from 3,500 feet down to 1,300 feet with main channel thalweg depths of approximately averaging 16 feet. The main channel widths at the White Swan Area range from 3,400 feet to 1,000 feet with main channel depths of approximately 13 feet. The primary channel thalweg over the entire reach usually ranges between 6 and 20 feet; however, deeper scour holes are occasionally recorded.

b. Normal Water Surface. The Normal Water Surface (NWS) represents the estimated water surface profile for a steady state discharge of 34,200 cfs from Fort Randall Dam. This flow represents the flow equalled or exceeded 50 percent of the time, since closure of the dam, during the open-water season from April through October, as shown on Plate 0-5. The NWS thus represents a key elevation for structure design. Further, the NWS provides a practical datum plane in the field to effectively monitor construction operations and to periodically evaluate completed structures. Plate 0-4 shows the Normal Water Surface for Fort Randall Dam to Niobrara.



c. Sustained High Stages. Daily average discharges of 45,000 cfs or greater are expected to occur 20 percent of the time during the open-water season.

d. Sediment Characteristics. The sediment characteristics of the Ft. Randall Dam to Lewis and Clark Lake reach are typical of a reach in a state of degradation in which the upstream reservoir traps virtually all incoming sediment load. Sediment load in the downstream reach consists of bed material load derived from the river bed, and bed material and wash load derived from eroded river banks and tributary inflows. The estimated average annual sediment load through the reach ranges from 0 at the dam to 1,927,000 tons per year at the Niobrara River where an additional 2,328,000 tons per year is being contributed to the reach from the Niobrara River. Since a sediment measurement station is not available for this part of the Missouri River, the variation in annual sediment load is not known, nor is the percent of sand, silt, and clay contribution; however, the contribution is believed to be about 30% silt and clay and 70% sand. Over the first 3 miles below the dam the channel bed is armored with a layer of relatively nonmovable coarse sands, gravels and cobbles. From there, downstream, the bed surface is composed of coarse to fine grained sediments with the D50 grain sizes averaging about 1.3 mm at the upstream end of the reach and decreasing exponentially to a value of 0.25 mm forty miles downstream.

e. Degradation. Degradation in the reach, since the closure of Ft. Randall Dam, ranges from about 5 feet in the tailwater area immediately below the dam to less than 1 foot at the Greenwood Gage 15 miles downstream. The average annual rate of degradation immediately below the dam is about 0.27 ft per year.

f. Slope. The slope of the energy grade line averages approximately 0.5 feet per mile over the reach from Ft. Randall Dam to Niobrara and varies

from 0.35 feet per mile to 0.6 feet per mile as shown on Plate 0-4. Since the velocity head is usually small and the discharges fairly uniform over a given time, the slopes of the water surface and the energy grade line are nearly equal. The slope at the Sunshine Bottom Area is 0.46 feet per mile and the slope at the White Swan Area is 0.45 feet per mile.

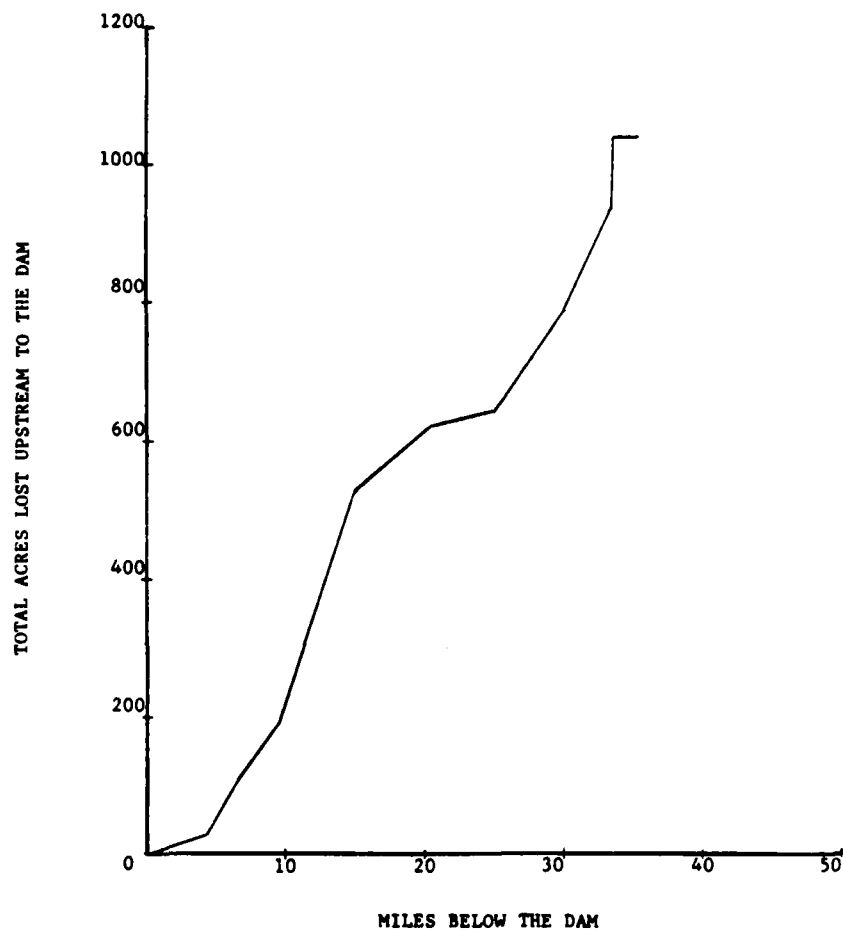
g. Streambank Erosion Rates. Aerial photographic surveys for different years have been analyzed to obtain estimates of valley lands lost due to bank erosion. Table 2-1 shows the erosion losses at the Sunshine Bottom and White Swan Areas. Table 2-1 shows the average erosion rate losses along the entire reach and Table 2-3 shows the high bank erosion loss for the 1953 to 1975 period correlated to distances downstream from Ft. Randall Dam. The erosion along this reach is not limited to the highbank areas. Islands and vegetated bar areas are also lost rapidly. Like the high banks, the higher island areas cannot be recreated naturally. Although new vegetated bars are developing, it appears that the rate of higher vegetated bar/island destruction exceeds the rate of formation. Bank erosion in the 36.3 mile reach below the dam varies substantially from location to location, but tends to average about 0.83 acres per river mile per year.

Table 2-1

High Bank Erosion Rates  
by Project Area

| <u>Area</u>     | <u>Bank</u> | <u>Period</u> | <u>Total Erosion<br/>Loss (acres)</u> | <u>Erosion Rate<br/>(acres/mile/year)</u> |
|-----------------|-------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Sunshine Bottom | Right       | 1976-1978     | 4.5                                   | 1.9                                       |
| White Swan      | Left        | 1974-1978     | 4.13                                  | 0.29                                      |

**FIGURE 2-1**  
**AVERAGE LOSSES**  
**FORT RANDALL DAM**  
**to**  
**NIobrARA, NEBRASKA**  
**(1953-1975)**



**Table 2-2**  
**FORT RANDALL DAM TO MICHIGANA BANK EROSION**

**SUMMATION OF EROSION LOSSES**

| <u>Period</u>       | <u>Time<br/>(Yr)</u> | <u>Left Bank</u>                      |                                |   | <u>Right Bank</u>                     |                                |   |
|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
|                     |                      | <u>Erodible<br/>Bankline<br/>(MI)</u> | <u>Total<br/>Loss<br/>(Ac)</u> | <u>Average<br/>Erosion<br/>Losses<br/>(Ac/Yr)</u> | <u>Erodible<br/>Bankline<br/>(MI)</u> | <u>Total<br/>Loss<br/>(Ac)</u> | <u>Average<br/>Erosion<br/>Losses<br/>(Ac/Yr)</u> |
| Apr 1953 - May 1956 | 3.1                  | 31.8                                  | 79.0                           | 25.5  | 24.4                                  | 167.1                          | 53.9  |
| Jun 1956 - May 1961 | 5.0                  | 31.8                                  | 123.0                          | 24.6  | 24.4                                  | 167.1                          | 33.4  |
| Jun 1961 - May 1966 | 5.0                  | 31.8                                  | 148.7                          | 29.7  | 24.4                                  | 81.7                           | 16.4  |
| Jun 1966 - Aug 1969 | 3.3                  | 31.8                                  | 75.2                           | 22.8  | 24.4                                  | 52.3                           | 15.8  |
| Sep 1969 - Jun 1974 | 4.8                  | 31.8                                  | 64.3                           | 13.4  | 24.4                                  | 45.8                           | 9.7   |
| Jul 1974 - Aug 1975 | 1.1                  | 31.8                                  | 35.8                           | 32.6  | 24.4                                  | 16.5                           | 15.0  |
| Aug 1975 - Oct 1976 | 1.2                  | 31.8                                  | 21.1                           | 17.6  | 24.4                                  | 26.7                           | 22.3  |
| Apr 1953 - Oct 1976 | 23.5                 | 31.8                                  | 546.4                          | 23.3  | 24.4                                  | 557.2                          | 23.7  |

Total Reach Length = 36.3 miles. Left bank bluff contact = 4.5 miles.  
Right bank bluff contact = 11.9 miles.

Table 2-3

Variation in Erosion Loss with Distance Downstream from Dam  
Fort Randall Dam to Niobrara (1953-1975)

| <u>Miles Below Dam</u> | <u>Existing Power<br/>Peaking Fluctuations (ft)</u> | <u>Erosion Loss<br/>1953-1975<br/>(acres/mile)</u> |
|------------------------|---|--|
| 0 - 10                 | 11.0 - 6.7  | 17.4   |
| 10 - 20                | 6.7 - 5.4   | 41.9   |
| 20 - 30                | 5.4 - 3.2   | 19.4   |
| 30 - 36                | 3.2 - 2.5   | 24.7   |

### III - DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

#### A. GENERAL.

In keeping with the Streambank Erosion Control Evaluation and Demonstration Act of 1974, the salient feature of each demonstration project was the control of streambank erosion by employing river management techniques using a variety of structural bank protection measures in combinations appropriate for local river conditions. Typical structural elements considered for each test reach were revetments, earth core dikes, and artificial hardpoints, each discussed in detail in paragraph B of this section. The general design considerations investigated for each demonstration site are delineated below. Critical technical factors affecting structural design and stability were bed-scour at the toe of the bank, weathering in the zone of stage variation, and ice action. Because of the control imposed by the Ft. Randall Dam in this reach, it was unlikely that the protection works would be damaged by frequent flooding. The river stages remained below the top of existing high banks and varied between well defined limits.

1. FIELD CONDITIONS. Field conditions are physical conditions which must be delineated and evaluated to permit development of structural designs that are equally functional, constructible, and environmentally acceptable. The following is a list of field conditions evaluated at each site.

- Channel location and alignment (main and secondary)
- Channel geometry (cross-section)
- Bar/island formation (location, orientation, elevation, material)
- Near-bank flow conditions (depth, velocity)
- Bank heights, configuration and materials
- High bank land use
- Riverbed and bank material types and conditions
- Stage-duration relationships (average daily and long-term probability)

- Tributary streams and surface runoff locations
- Ground water seepage
- Potential wave erosion
- Existing erosion controls (natural, manmade)
- Degradation projections

2. **CONSTRUCTIBILITY FACTORS.** Constructibility factors are those practical factors relative to actual construction materials, operations, and techniques which must be considered to assure optimum project economics and to minimize potential environmental impacts.

a. Material sources (stone, earth, cobbles, gravel)

- Quality
- Quantity available
- Location from project (haul distance)
- Cost, at source (royalties, quarrying, gathering)

b. Land access to structural locations

- Haul road location and conditions
- Near bank-conditions (height, soils, vegetation)
- Mobilization and materials handling sites

c. River Access (floating plant construction)

- River depths along project bankline
- Near-bank conditions
- Mobilization and material handling sites
- River depths, distance, and alignment from project site to potential mobilization and material handling sites

3. **ENGINEERING OBJECTIVES.** Engineering objectives are those goals established to provide perspective and scope to individual project formulation and design.

- Least-cost, multipurpose problem solutions
- Materials
- Construction techniques
- Structure type, location, and orientation
- Minimize potential future maintenance costs

4. **ENVIRONMENTAL OBJECTIVES.** These are environmental considerations taken into account in the formulation and general design of individual projects.

- Minimize woodland clearing or the disturbance of any other sensitive or unique habitat
- Protect important or critical habitat
- Avoid disturbance of endangered fish and wildlife species during construction
- Create desirable aquatic habitat with structure configuration or various types of structure materials
- Consider structure designs that improve pedestrian and wildlife access to the water's edge
- Preserve the natural appearance and aesthetics of the waterway; conceal structures with topsoil and native vegetation; low profile structures are generally less noticeable
- Avoid destruction of or protect cultural resources as appropriate.

**B. BASIS OF DESIGN FOR EACH TYPE OF PROTECTION.**

Typical bank protection schemes considered for demonstration sites in the Ft. Randall to Niobrara reach of the Missouri River are shown on Plates 0-6, 0-7 and 0-8 and discussed in the following paragraphs.



The range of stone application rates along with the average tons per linear foot by structure type for the Fort Randall to Niobrara reach are shown in Table 2-4.

Table 2-4

| <u>Structure Type</u> | <u>Application Range<br/>(Tons/Linear Foot)</u> | <u>Avg. Application<br/>Rate<br/>(Tons/Linear Foot)</u> |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| Reinforced Revetment  | 5.1 - 5.3                                       | 5.2   |
| Composite Revetment   | 4.4 - 4.5                                       | 4.43  |
| Windrow Revetment     | 3.5 - 4.5                                       | 4.0   |
| Windrow Refusal       | 4.8 - 7.1                                       | 5.9   |
| Hardpoints            | 6.0 - 6.8                                       | 6.4   |

1. **REVELEMENT.** Revetments consist of a facing of stone or other material placed adjacent and parallel to the bankline to protect against erosion. These structures are generally utilized where river flows are concentrated along the bank and where depths, bankline configuration or bankline conditions preclude the use of other methods. Typical demonstration structure layouts intentionally leave 200 feet to 1,000 feet of unprotected bank between structure segments. The extent of interstructure erosion is limited by the prevailing water depth and velocity riverward of the structure alignment (the theoretical line connecting the riverward extremity of all the structures in the system); the bank height and composition; and the structure spacing. As the river erodes into the bank, the flow path becomes longer since the water entering the erosion "bight" must return to the original bank location at the next downstream structure. Accordingly, the energy gradient becomes proportionally less as the size of the bight grows. Thus, at a given river stage (discharge) the bight ceases to grow when the energy gradient is no longer sufficient to remove material from the bank. The resulting configuration and cross section of the "stable" bank will remain stable as long as extended duration flows do not exceed the flow level which created that configuration.

Revetments in this river reach have three distinct zones in which stresses differ and accordingly, the material requirements can be varied. The toe zone is that portion of the structure below normal low-water, subject only to river current erosion. Material in this zone must be of sufficient size and quality to resist the erosive force of the river velocities continually flowing over it; and it must be of sufficient gradation and quantity to form a reasonably dense blanket over the slope, down to the depth of anticipated maximum scour. This material is seldom exposed to freeze-thaw or wet-dry action, or ice and debris movement. Accordingly, material of relatively inferior mechanical properties (weak, brittle, soft, etc.) should function adequately in this zone, if of sufficient size to resist movement by the flow.

The splash zone is that portion between the normal high-water and normal low-water. This is the zone of highest stress. The material is frequently exposed to wet-dry and freeze-thaw cycles, to ice and debris movement, wave-wash, and erosive river currents. These stresses will generally require high quality stone; however, some combination of gravel, clay, filter cloth, etc., may be functional here.

The bank zone is that portion above normal high-water. Material in this zone is continually exposed to weathering, and periodically exposed to high stage erosion, wave-wash, ice and debris, and traffic by animals or man. It appears that a tough vegetation cover on a graded bank would be an optimum solution. However, types of vegetation and the minimum degree of grading to provide a durable, low-maintenance solution need development. In some cases, a stronger treatment may be necessary, such as gravel, clay, soil cement, etc. General revetment applications include variations of three basic designs, as field conditions, environmental, and cultural consideration dictate.

a. Windrow Revetment. The Windrow Revetment structure, shown on Plate 0-8, consists of a mound of stone placed either on the overbank, or partially or totally buried, immediately adjacent and parallel to the general alignment of the eroding bankline. In theory, a minimum windrow is placed first and then as the bank erodes, the stone sloughs and blankets the new bank at a naturally established slope. Then stone material is added on an as-needed basis until equilibrium (i.e., a stable bank) is established. This provides a structure containing the least possible amount of stone, and accordingly, the least cost for a revetment-type structure. Variable factors that require evaluation include stone gradation, mound size and shape, minimum initial application rate, size and shape of the excavated trench, and structural segment lengths and spacing. The Windrow Revetment is an excellent technique in areas where river flows are unusually deep and swift along the toe of the bankline. This technique avoids the excessive quantity of material needed to construct a fill within the water area in such situations. However, the presence of improvements or heavy timber usually necessitates substitution of alternate techniques in areas otherwise suited to windrow revetment.

b. Composite Revetment. The Composite Revetment structure, shown on Plate 0-6, is used where flows are concentrated along the bankline, but where depths or curvature preclude hardpoint systems and bankline or environmental conditions preclude windrow revetment. Composite revetment consists of a toe of erosion-resistant material, a splash zone treatment covering the area of normal seasonal fluctuations, and a freeboard zone that is generally vegetated. Toe crown elevations are normally placed at the estimated low water elevations to reduce exposure to freeze-thaw and wet-dry cycles and thus permit the use of relatively low quality erosion-resistant material in the toe. Toe material is generally placed on the natural riverbed; however, minor excavation is accomplished whenever necessary to provide an adequate structural section. The upper bank treatment generally includes erosion resistant material placed in the configuration to best satisfy aesthetic, environmental, and economic criteria.

c. **Reinforced Revetment.** The Reinforced Revetment structure, shown on Plate 0-7, consists of a toe of erosion-resistant material placed somewhat riverward of the bankline. The toe is then reinforced by intermittent stone-filled tiebacks, which are placed on the riverbank or in an excavated trench and extend landward from the toe to or into the riverbank. The toe fill material may either be high quality stone, low grade material, or both. The fill material used in the tieback is generally stone. The toe material is placed on the riverbed generally parallel to the natural bankline. The toe fill crown is generally constructed to the normal water surface elevation but may be lower. The stone tiebacks slope upward from the crown of the toe to several feet above the normal water surface elevation at the existing bankline. Between tiebacks, the upper bank may be graded to fill in the voids between tiebacks, the bank, and the toe. The upper bank surfaces of the reinforced revetment may be generally covered with either gravel or topsoil and seeded to satisfy aesthetic and environmental considerations.

2. **HARDPOINTS.** The Hardpoint structure, shown on Plate 0-8, are used when possible in lieu of revetment systems as a more economical measure and also to develop diversity in the aquatic and near-bank environment. They are best utilized along relatively long, convex-shaped or straight bankline increments having water depths of 5 to 10 feet. A hardpoint consists of two components: a short spur 30 to 50 feet long of erosion resistant material extending from the bank into the river; and a root of erosion-resistant material 30 to 50 feet long placed in a trench excavated landward from the bankline. The upstreammost hardpoint in multi-hardpoint systems may be of heavier section than the "shaded" downstream hardpoints. The crown width of the spur varies up to 10 feet maximum and is generally inversely proportional to water depth. This width may also reflect maintenance and access considerations. The crown elevation is generally at the normal water surface at the riverward end, and slopes up to varying elevations at the bankline, depending on bank height and root type. There are two basic root types; a deep "V" trench excavation for high banks and a wide, shallow trench for low banks. Spurs are angled 10°-20° downstream of the normal to the bankline and are designed to provide an adequate amount of material to withstand anticipated scour conditions.

3. WINDROW REFUSAL. A windrow refusal, shown on Plate 1-3, is usually constructed at the upstream end of each revetment segment to prevent flanking of the revetment as the interstructure bight develops and flow concentrations return to the original bank location. Each refusal generally consists of erosion-resistant material placed in a trench varying from 30 to 100 feet which is excavated landward from the bankline. Refusals are usually angled 10°-20° downstream of the normal to the bankline, depending upon local bankline conditions.

4. SPECIAL CONTRACT PROVISIONS. Bidding schedules, plans, and specifications advertised for each demonstration project contained options for allowing the bidder to utilize low grade material in all structures specified on the construction schedule as "Stone or Low Grade Material" or to utilize all high quality stone in these structures. The low bid for utilization of stone and low grade material was accepted unless the low bid for utilization of all stone did not exceed the stone and low grade material low bid by a predetermined percentage. This percentage was based on District bid experience for similar contracts and an engineering determination of the premium worth of construction utilizing high quality materials exclusively, and varied from contract to contract.

Stone, as specified for the contracts in this reach, was defined as durable material meeting specified acceptability levels based on service records and laboratory tests, such as petrographic analysis, specific gravity, absorption, wetting and drying, soundness in magnesium sulfate, and freezing and thawing. Gradations were determined by field conditions or experimental considerations. Neither the breadth nor the thickness of any piece of stone shall be less than one-third of its length. Stone shall be reasonably well-graded from coarse to fine. Dirt and fines of less than 1/2-inch maximum cross-section, accumulated from interledge layers or from blasting or handling operations shall not exceed 5 percent by weight. Acceptance testing of field boulders for compliance with quality requirements was not required.

Low grade materials, such as softer sandstones, limestone or chalk, were suitable for utilization to provide the bulk necessary in the toe of revetments and the core of hardpoints, provided laboratory testing, field tests, and service records demonstrated minimum acceptability within the specifications. Low grade material was specified only by minimum specific gravity, a maximum allowable absorption and loss after a reasonable period of immersion, a liberal gradation range, and a requirement that it be obtained from the source and placed in the structure without excessive deterioration or mechanical breakdown.

Gravels, cobbles and spalls used to provide an upper bank treatment are specified as tough, durable particles reasonably free from flat, thin and elongated pieces, and containing no objectionable quantities of soft, friable materials or organic matter. Gradation limits may be liberal to promote trial of locally available material and possibly material from the channel bed in the vicinity of the structures utilizing gravel. Gradations specified at each demonstration site in this reach are discussed in Section III-C.

#### **C. CONSTRUCTION DETAILS AT EACH DEMONSTRATION PROJECT.**

1. **WHITE SWAN PROJECT AREA.** The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 1-1. The project area consists of approximately 1.3 miles of bankline protected by three segments of windrow revetment totalling 1,600 linear feet, one segment of composite revetment totalling 500 linear feet, three segments of reinforced revetment totalling 1,000 linear feet, one system of 11 hardpoints at various spacings, and seven windrow refusals totalling 400 feet. Typical sections of the structure types used in this project are shown on Plates 1-2 and 1-3. Mandatory floating plant was not required for this project; therefore, the successful low bidder accomplished all work with land-based equipment. Low grade material did not display sufficient economic advantage as a bid item for this contract; all structures in this project were constructed of durable stone.

The project area can be divided into three distinct zones. Zone A, bounded by Refusal 870.01 and Revetment 870.0, Station 6+00, is characterized by moderately high banks contiguous to a back chute area of emergent sandbars dissected by small, shallow channels. Zone B, extending from Revetment 870.0, Station 6+00, to Hardpoint 869.1, is delineated by high, steep banks adjacent to the primary river channel. Zone C, the remaining downstream portion of the project area, includes lower banks adjoining a shallow secondary channel with a few nearly emergent reefs. All of Zone A and the upstream half of Zone B landward of the riverbank are pasture lands with well-spaced, mature trees and minimal understory. The downstream half of Zone B and the upstream half of Zone C are heavily timbered, with trees ranging in diameter from 4 to 10 inches. The downstream half of Zone C is lower, recent accretion land considered good wildlife habitat. The project area is displayed in Photos 1 through 8.

Erosion losses along the left bank at the White Swan project area were analyzed using two independent methods. Planimetric measurement of bankline changes as depicted on comparative aerial photographs for 1974 and 1978 indicated an average erosion loss of 0.29 acres/mile/year. Analysis of Corps of Engineers sediment range data for the years 1952 through 1976 yielded an erosion rate of 3.34 acres per mile per year. These analyses indicated that the entire project area bankline had, at one time or another, experienced severe erosion, and that erosion had been chronic since at least 1952 and is unlikely to cease in the foreseeable future. Erosion in Zone A is not presently a problem, since the flows along the bankline are shallow. However, the long-term integrity of the entire project is dependent upon the stability of this zone.

The primary channel now impinges against the project bankline at the downstream end of Zone A (see Plate 1-1), but flow patterns indicate that this point of critical attack may move upstream in the future. This will cause severe pressure on the point of land formed by the main channel and the

back chute. Further, the back chute could quite possibly become a large, secondary channel in the future, particularly in view of the potential for avulsions caused by ice jams upstream from the project area. If either of the above-discussed channel changes occur, the present bankline alignment in Zone A would be highly undesirable. Consequently, the project design includes a buried windrow revetment placed along an alignment designed to stabilize future entrance conditions into the project area as the windrow becomes functional.

Zone B encompasses that portion of the project bankline which experienced severe erosion. Bank protection methods considered for this zone were limited to revetments because of the deep primary channel flows immediately adjacent to steep high banks. Interstructure gap lengths throughout this zone were optimized to decrease the probability of rehabilitative construction. Two segments of windrow revetment were designed for the upstream portion of Zone B and since the banks are nearly vertical, the channel is immediately against the bank toe, and the near-bank area contains only scattered timber. A section of composite revetment was constructed downstream of the windrow, where field conditions are similar, except that considerable timber would have to be cleared for either a windrow or reinforced revetment. Downstream of the composite revetment, the heavier timber continues; but the banks are less steep and a moderate bench exists between the bank toe and the deep channel. Two reinforced revetment segments were constructed in this area. The construction was conducted largely along the bench, thus avoiding intensive clearing on the high banks. Near the downstream extremity of Zone B, the main channel leaves the left bank. Two closely spaced hardpoints were designed to protect the bankline and irrigation intake site. Both structures are located near an existing trail, thus little clearing was required. These two structures are the initial increment in a series of 10 hardpoints which extend approximately 1,900 feet into Zone C.



Zone C is the lowest priority area along the project bankline. Relative to the other zones, the banks adjacent to the river are generally lower, the soil sandier, and the vegetation less mature. The shallow, secondary channel flows caused intermittent moderate erosion in this zone, except at the very downstream end, where erosion was severe. These conditions were all favorable for hardpoint structures. The erosion between hardpoints does not cause any significant damage to the higher quality bottomlands lying somewhat landward of the present bankline. The series of eight hardpoints economically protects most of this zone and affords an excellent opportunity to quantify erosion between structures. A segment of reinforced revetment was designed at the downstream end of Zone C because of the bankline curvature and deeper river flow conditions. This structure helps assure long-term project integrity by permanently stabilizing the present overall alignment.

Table 2-5 displays the small and large stone and gravel gradations. The smaller stone gradations were used for upper composite revetment toes, reinforced revetment tiebacks, windrow revetment and refusals, and hardpoint upper paving fill and roots. The larger stone gradations were used for the lower composite revetment toes, reinforced revetment toes, and hardpoint cores.

Stone application rates in average tons per linear foot by structure type for this project site are as follows:

|                      |     |
|----------------------|-----|
| Reinforced Revetment | 5.3 |
| Composite Revetment  | 4.5 |
| Windrow Revetment    | 4.0 |
| Windrow Refusal      | 6.0 |
| Hardpoints           | 6.0 |

**Table 2-5**  
**WHITE SWAN PROJECT AREA**

**STONE AND GRAVEL GRADATIONS**

**Small Stone Gradation**

| <b><u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u></b>     | <b><u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u></b> |
|--|---|
| <b>Gradation A (3.5 T/LF Application Rate)</b> |   |
| 130 pounds                                     | 100   |
| 35 pounds                                      | 35-60   |
| 2-inch screen                                  | 0-15  |
| <b>Gradation B (4.5 T/LF Application Rate)</b> |   |
| 200 pounds                                     | 100   |
| 50 pounds                                      | 35-60   |
| 2-inch screen                                  | 0-15  |

**Large Stone Gradation**

| <b><u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u></b> | <b><u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u></b> |
|--|---|
| 500 pounds                                 | 100   |
| 165 pounds                                 | 35-60   |
| 3-inch screen                              | 0-15  |

**Gravel Gradation**

| <b><u>Seive Size</u></b> | <b><u>Percent Passing</u></b> |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 3"                       | 30-100                        |
| 1-1/2"                   | 55-80                         |
| 3/4"                     | 30-55                         |
| 3/8"                     | 15-35                         |
| #4                       | 0-10                          |

Gradation A was utilized on an experimental basis in Revetment 870.0, windrow revetment, stations 3+00 to 6+00 and stations 15+50 to 20+50. This was the first use of windrow revetment in the Fort Randall Dam to Niobrara reach. Reinforced revetment was constructed using several tieback spacing and elevation combinations. Some of the interstructural, landward cells were backfilled and others were left open. In addition, the upstream-most reinforced revetment segment was terminated in a Type II hardpoint, which is of greater section than a typical tieback and extends riverward of the revetment toe. Hardpoints (Type I) were arranged in a pattern designed to provide a good basis for developing a quantitative prototype relationship between hardpoint spacing and the erosion occurring between hardpoints. Composite revetment was constructed using two different configurations which vary the toe crown elevation with respect to NWS (See Typical Sections). A complete construction schedule is shown on Table 2-6 and the bid schedule is shown on Table 2-7.

Quality requirements specified in the contract include bulk specific gravity, soundness in magnesium sulfate, and soundness in freezing and thawing. Method CRD-C 107-69 for bulk specific gravity, saturated surface-dry basis, required not less than 2.35. Soundness in magnesium sulfate, ASTM Standard C88-76, required not more than 12 percent loss at 12 cycles. Modified AASHTO Designation T103-78, soundness in freezing and thawing method for riprap rock, required not more than 10 percent loss in 12 cycles.

Revetment 868.62 was extended downstream with 100 feet of composite revetment by the Contracting Officer's Representative in the field to provide additional protection to the project bankline located farthest downstream. Concentrated flows increased the erosion activity in this area since the contract award.

No significant long-term detrimental environmental impacts are anticipated as a direct result of construction of this demonstration project.

Table 2-6  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE  
WHITE SWAN AREA

| STRUCTURE   | BAWK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION<br>TO     | DESCRIPTION  | MNS<br>ELEV. | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES |                  |                      |
|-------------|------|------------------|-------------------|--|--------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|
|             |      |                  |                   |  |              | STONE<br>(TONS)      | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) |
| Ref. 870.01 | L    | 75'              | 0+95 to<br>1+70   | Windrow Refusal  | 1231.2       | 450                  | ---              | 350                  |
| Rev. 870.0  | L    | 300'             | 0+00 to<br>3+00   | Windrow Revetment<br>Type B, Gradation B                                       | 1231.2       | 1,350                | ---              | 1,200                |
|             |      |                  | 3+00 to<br>6+00   | Windrow Revetment<br>Type C, Gradation A                                       | ----         | 1,050                | ---              | 950                  |
|             | L    | 500'             | 8+00 to<br>13+00  | Windrow Revetment<br>Type A, Gradation B                                       | 1231.15      | 2,250                | ---              | 3,000                |
|             |      |                  | 15+50 to<br>20+50 | Windrow Revetment<br>Type A, Gradation A                                       | 1231.07      | 1,750                | ---              | 3,000                |
| Ref. 869.87 | L    | 50'              | 2+40 to<br>2+90   | Windrow Refusal  | 1231.15      | 300                  | ---              | 225                  |
| Ref. 869.73 | L    | 50'              | 1+70 to<br>2+20   | Windrow Refusal  | 1231.07      | 300                  | ---              | 225                  |
| Ref. 869.58 | L    | 50'              | 1+90 to<br>2+40   | Windrow Refusal  | 1231.07      | 300                  | ---              | 225                  |
| Rev. 869.57 | L    | 250'             | 0+00 to<br>2+50   | Composite Revetment<br>Type F  | 1231.01      | 1,125                | 150              | ---                  |
|             | L    | 250'             | 2+50 to<br>5+00   | Composite Revetment<br>Type E  | ----         | 1,125                | 150              | ---                  |
|             |      |                  | 2+80 to<br>3+30   | Windrow Refusal  | 1230.9       | 300                  | ---              | 225                  |
| Rev. 869.3  | L    | 250'             | 0+00 to<br>2+50   | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type IV (Tieback<br>internal at 100') 4/<br>Open Cells | 1230.9       | 2,325                | 150              | 750                  |
|             |      |                  | 4+50 to<br>7+00   | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type IV (Tieback<br>internal at 100') 3/<br>(pen Cells | 1230.88      | 2,325                | 150              | 750                  |

Table 2-6 (cont.)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

WHITE SWAN AREA

| STATION    |      |                  |                          | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES     |              |                 |                  |                      |
|------------|------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|
| STRUCTURE  | BAWK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION<br>TO<br>STATION | DESCRIPTION              | MES<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) |
| HP 869.24  | L    | 52'              | 3+90 to<br>4+42          | Hardpoint, Type II       | 1230.86      | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| Ref. 869.2 | L    | 50'              | 3+50 to<br>4+00          | Windrow Refusal          | 1230.86      | 300             | ---              | 225                  |
| HP 869.12  | L    | 50'              | 2+60 to<br>3+10          | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/ | 1230.81      | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|            | L    | 50'              | 3+10 to<br>3+60          | Hardpoint, Type I 2/     | ---          | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 869.1   | L    | 50'              | 2+10 to<br>2+60          | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/ | 1230.8       | 375             | ---              | 300                  |
|            | L    | 50'              | 2+60 to<br>3+10          | Hardpoint, Type I 2/     | ---          | 125             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 869.0   | L    | 50'              | 1+90 to<br>2+40          | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/ | 1230.76      | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|            | L    | 50'              | 2+40 to<br>2+90          | Hardpoint,<br>Type A 2/  | ---          | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 868.96  | L    | 50'              | 1+70 to<br>2+20          | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/ | 1230.74      | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|            | L    | 50'              | 2+20 to<br>2+70          | Hardpoint, Type I 2/     | ---          | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 868.92  | L    | 50'              | 1+70 to<br>2+20          | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/ | 1230.72      | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|            | L    | 50'              | 2+20 to<br>2+70          | Hardpoint,<br>Type I 2/  | ---          | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 868.88  | L    | 50'              | 1+50 to<br>2+00          | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/ | 1230.7       | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|            | L    | 50'              | 2+00 to<br>2+50          | Hardpoint, Type I 2/     | ---          | 375             | 30               | ---                  |

Table 2-6 (cont.)  
CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

WHITE SWAN AREA

| STATION<br>TO |      |                  |                 | ESTIMATED QUANTITIES  |              |                 |                  |                      |
|---------------|------|------------------|-----------------|---|--------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|
| STRUCTURE     | MARK | LENGTH<br>(FEET) | STATION         | DESCRIPTION   | MNS<br>ELEV. | STONE<br>(TONS) | GRAVEL<br>(TONS) | EXCAVATION<br>(C.Y.) |
| HP 868.81     | L    | 50'              | 1+65 to<br>2+15 | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/  | 1230.68      | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|               | L    | 50'              | 2+15 to<br>2+65 | Hardpoint, Type I 2/  | ----         | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 868.76     | L    | 50'              | 2+00 to<br>2+50 | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/  | 1230.65      | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|               | L    | 50'              | 2+50 to<br>3+00 | Hardpoint,<br>Type I 2/   | ----         | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 868.71     | L    | 50'              | 1+90 to<br>2+40 | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/  | 1230.63      | 375             | ---              | 300                  |
|               | L    | 50'              | 2+40 to<br>2+90 | Hardpoint,<br>Type A 2/   | ----         | 125             | 30               | ---                  |
| HP 868.66     | L    | 50'              | 1+65 to<br>2+15 | Stone Root,<br>Type A 1/  | 1230.6       | 225             | ---              | 300                  |
|               | L    | 50'              | 2+15 to<br>2+65 | Hardpoint,<br>Type I 2/   | ----         | 375             | 30               | ---                  |
| Ref. 868.63   | L    | 75'              | 1+90            | Windrow Refusal   | 1230.58      | 450             | ---              | 350                  |
| Rev. 868.62   | L    | 400'             | 0+00 to<br>4+00 | Reinforced Revetment<br>Type VI (Tieback<br>internal at 100' 5/ | 1230.58      | 2,125           | 240              | 1,200                |
| TOTALS        |      |                  |                 |   |              | 20,200          | 1,170            | 15,675               |

1/ Root Elevation - 2 feet below existing ground elevation at landward end of root.

2/ Hard Point Elevation - MNS+3.0, Hardpoint Crown Width 5.0'.

3/ On this reference revetment segment no tieback is constructed at the downstream end of the structure, and the middle cell will be left open.

4/ On this reinforced revetment segment a Hardpoint Type II is constructed in lieu of a tieback at the downstream end of the structure, and the two most downstream cells will be left open.

5/ On this revetment segment, the two middle cells are left open.

Table 2-7

**BID SCHEDULE  
WHITE SWAN AREA**

|                              | <u>QUANTITY</u> | <u>UNIT</u> | <u>UNIT<br/>PRICE</u> | <u>ESTIMATED<br/>AMOUNT</u> |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| STONE                        | 22,200          | TON         | \$12.90               | 286,380                     |
| GRAVEL                       | 1,170           | TON         | 14.50                 | 16,965                      |
| EXCAVATION                   | 15,675          | CUBIC YARD  | 2.00                  | 31,350                      |
| CLEARING AND GRUBBING        |                 | LUMP SUM    |                       | 18,000                      |
| SEEDING                      |                 | LUMP SUM    |                       | 4,000                       |
| MONITORING AND DOCUMENTATION |                 |             |                       |                             |
| a. Photography               |                 | LUMP SUM    |                       | 1,000                       |
| b. Cross Sections            |                 | LUMP SUM    |                       | <u>8,000</u>                |
|                              |                 | TOTAL COST  |                       | \$365,695                   |



**PHOTO 1. 200 LB. GRADATION STONE**  
(Photo Taken September 1980)



**PHOTO 2. 500 LB. GRADATION STONE**  
(Photo Taken September 1980)

White Swan Area  
Photos 1 and 2





**PHOTO 3. TYPICAL SEVERE EROSION CONDITIONS ALONG  
UPSTREAM PORTION OF THE PROJECT AREA.  
(Photo Taken 15 April 1980)**



**PHOTO 4. TYPICAL SEVERE EROSION CONDITIONS ALONG THE  
DOWNSTREAM PORTION OF THE PROJECT AREA. THIS  
BANKLINE WILL CONTAIN HARDPOINTS.  
(Photo Taken 15 April 1980)**

**White Swan Area  
Photos 3 and 4**



**PHOTO 5. HARDPOINT 869.24, LOOKING UPSTREAM ALONG THE MIDDLE AND DOWNSTREAM PORTION OF THE PROJECT AREA. (Photo Taken 6 April 1981)**



**PHOTO 6. COMPOSITE REVETMENT 869.57, IMMEDIATELY AFTER COMPLETION. (Photo Taken December 1980)**

**White Swan Area  
Photos 5 and 6**



**PHOTO 7. SITE OF WINDROW REVETMENT 870.0, STATION 15+50 PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. (Photo Taken 19 September 1980)**



**PHOTO 8. WINDROW REVETMENT 870.0, STATION 15+50, IMMEDIATELY AFTER COMPLETION. (Photo Taken December 1980)**

**White Swan Area  
Photos 7 and 8**

2. SUNSHINE BOTTOM PROJECT AREA. The general plan for this project is shown on Plate 2-1. The demonstration area consists of approximately 2 miles of bankline protected by six segments of reinforced revetment totalling 3,000 linear feet; three segments of composite revetment totalling 1,860 linear feet; eight hardpoints in four systems of two each; and nine windrow refusals for a total of 550 linear feet. Typical sections of the structure types used in this project are shown on Plates 2-2 and 2-3.

All composite revetments constructed are Case II, which require excavation. The three reinforced revetment segments farthest upstream are Type I, while the remaining three revetment segments are Type II. All hardpoint roots are Type A sections. Reinforced revetment tiebacks are spaced at 100-foot intervals except Revetment 867.0, Stations 26+00 to 31+00, which has tieback intervals of 80 feet. In addition, a tieback was constructed at the terminus of each reinforced revetment segment. Mandatory floating plant was not required in this contract; therefore, the successful low bidder accomplished all construction by land plant. Low grade material did not display sufficient economic advantage as a bid item for this contract; therefore, all structures in this project were constructed of durable stone.

Stone application rates in average tons per linear foot by structure type for this project site are as follows:

|                      |     |
|----------------------|-----|
| Reinforced Revetment | 5.2 |
| Composite Revetment  | 4.4 |
| Windrow Refusal      | 5.8 |
| Hardpoints           | 6.8 |

Table 2-8 displays the specified small and large stone and gravel gradations.

The stone material used in the construction of this project was required to meet the following standards. Bulk specific gravity, saturated surface-dry basis Method CRD-C 107-69, required not less than 2.40. Soundness in magnesium sulfate, ASTM Standard C88-76, required a loss at 5 cycles of not more than 12%. Soundness in freezing and thawing, AASHTO designation T103-62, required a loss at 12 cycles not to exceed 10%.

Table 2-8

SUNSHINE BOTTOM PROPECT AREA

STONE AND GRAVEL GRADATIONS

Small Stone Gradation

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 200 lbs                             | 100  |
| 50 lbs                              | 35-60  |
| 2-in screen                         | 0-15   |

Large Stone Gradation

| <u>Weight or Size<br/>Per Stone</u> | <u>Percent of Total Weight<br/>Lighter Than or Passing</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 500 lbs                             | 100  |
| 165 lbs                             | 35-60  |
| 3-in screen                         | 0-15   |

Gravel Gradation

| <u>Sieve Size</u> | <u>Percent Passing</u> |
|-------------------|------------------------|
| 3"                | 90-100                 |
| 1-1/2"            | 55-80                  |
| 3/4"              | 30-55                  |
| 3/8"              | 15-35                  |
| #4                | 0-10                   |

Table 2-9 provides construction material unit prices for this project site while Table 2-10 provides a construction program which includes material quantities and costs by structure.

Photographs of representative erosion areas and structures during and after construction are shown in Photos 11 through 16.

The area bounded by the bluffs and project bankline contains approximately 582 acres, of which about 375 acres are in agricultural use and 207 acres are wooded natural habitat. About 75 percent of the linear length of the project bankline was wooded prior to construction. About 20 acres of habitat was lost as a result of project construction. Most of the loss was in revetment areas in order to provide haul roads and near-bank access for dragline equipment. Habitat was also cleared to establish terrestrial survey data hubs. Aquatic impacts during construction include a temporary increase in suspended solids load and sedimentation during construction. Long-term erosion protection results in a decrease in suspended solids and sedimentation problems. Fish habitat not previously available was created by hard-point structures which produced a permanent scour hole at the tip of the structure two to six feet deeper than the riverbed. There is a slight potential for reducing the creation of new shallow water aquatic habitat, by preventing or reducing the erosion process; however, the destruction of terrestrial and riparian habitat is significantly prevented or reduced by structures.

**Table 2-9  
SUNSHINE BOTTOM CONSTRUCTION  
MATERIAL UNIT PRICES**

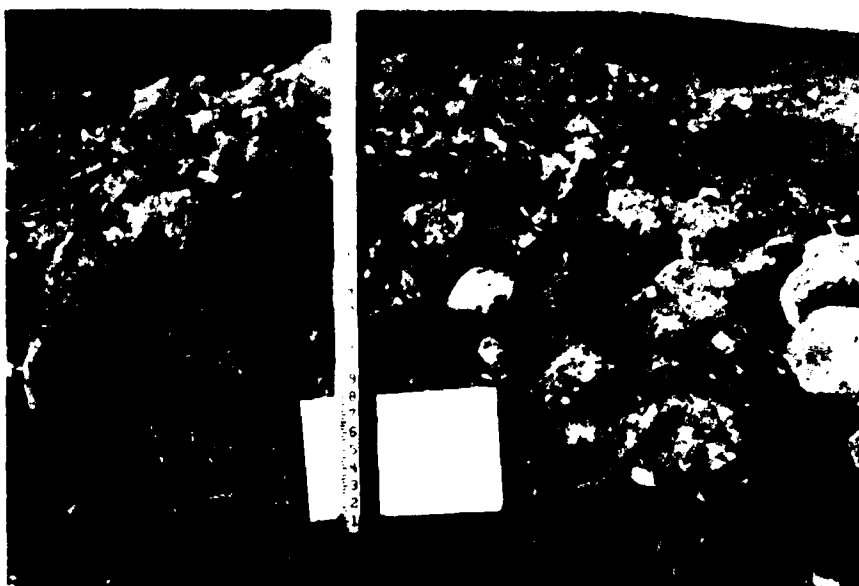
| <u>Description</u>             | <u>Unit</u> | <u>Unit Price</u> |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Stone                          | Ton         | \$ 17.50          |
| Gravel, Cobbles, and/or Spalls | Ton         | 8.80              |
| Excavation                     | Cubic Yards | 1.65              |
| Clearing and Grubbing          | Lump Sum    | 12,320.00         |
| Seeding                        | Lump Sum    | 4,435.00          |

# SUNSHINE BOTTOM CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

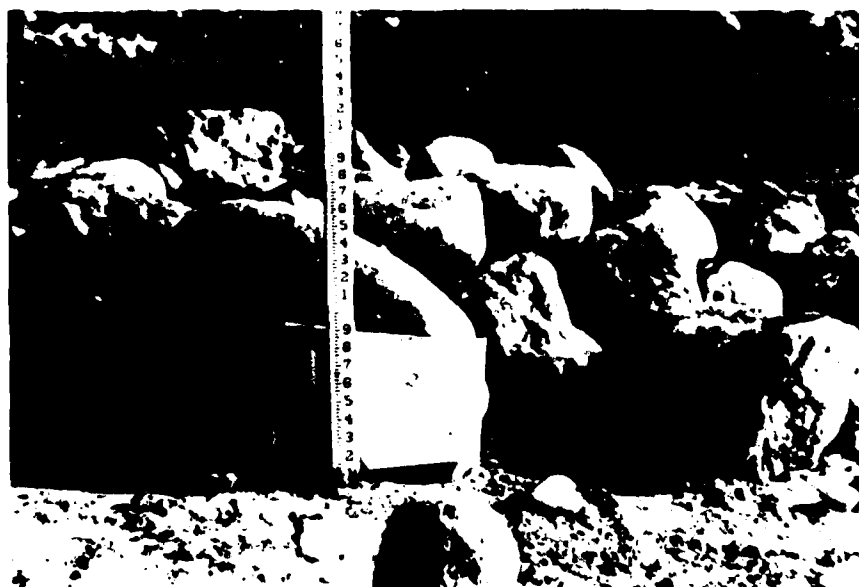
TABLE 2-10

| STRUCTURE NO.                  | TYPE* | TOTAL LENGTH | DATE STARTED | DATE RECD | TOTAL STONE (TONS) | TOTAL GRAVEL (TONS) | TOTAL (GT) EXCAVATION | TOTAL COST | COST/FT OF STRUCTURE |
|--------------------------------|-------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 867.75                         | WRP   | 50'          | 09/16/78     | 09/22/78  | 329                | ---                 | 552                   | \$ 6,674   | \$133.48             |
| 867.9                          | WRP   | 75'          | 09/13/78     | 09/21/78  | 458                | ---                 | 332                   | 8,599      | 114.65               |
| 868.01                         | WRP   | 115'         | 09/12/78     | 09/15/78  | 556                | ---                 | 462                   | 10,496     | 91.27                |
| 868.0                          |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            |                      |
| 0+00 to 6+50                   | CR    | 650'         | 09/14/78     | 05/02/79  | 2,869              | 338                 | 1,516                 | 55,695     | 86.00                |
| 7+50 to 14+60                  | CR    | 720'         | 10/05/78     | 05/01/79  | 3,126              | 356                 | 1,878                 | 60,942     | 85.00                |
| 15+00 to 20+00                 | CR    | 500'         | 10/11/78     | 10/20/78  | 2,200              | 301                 | 1,265                 | 43,227     | 86.00                |
| 867.6                          | HP    | 75'          | 10/21/78     | 05/05/79  | 640                | 16                  | 173                   | 11,626     | 155.02               |
| 867.55                         | HP    | 80'          | 10/24/78     | 04/29/79  | 606                | 17                  | 155                   | 11,003     | 137.53               |
| 867.46                         | WRP   | 50'          | 10/26/78     | 10/26/78  | 356                | ---                 | 216                   | 6,587      | 131.73               |
| 867.45                         | RR    | 500'         | 10/19/78     | 11/08/78  | 2,600              | 145                 | 899                   | 48,530     | 96.52                |
| 867.3                          | HP    | 100'         | 10/27/78     | 11/08/78  | 597                | 16                  | 101                   | 10,755     | 107.55               |
| 867.25                         | HP    | 100'         | 11/02/78     | 11/08/78  | 646                | 17                  | 84                    | 11,586     | 115.86               |
| 867.21                         | WRP   | 50'          | 11/04/78     | 11/04/78  | 308                | ---                 | 132                   | 5,608      | 112.16               |
| 867.2                          | RR    | 500'         | 11/07/78     | 11/24/78  | 2,631              | 152                 | 905                   | 48,879     | 97.76                |
| 867.15                         | HP    | 100'         | 11/04/78     | 11/24/78  | 608                | 16                  | 90                    | 10,938     | 109.38               |
| 867.1                          | HP    | 90'          | 11/06/78     | 11/24/78  | 601                | 16                  | 96                    | 10,815     | 120.17               |
| 867.0                          |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            |                      |
| 0+00 to 5+00                   | RR    | 500'         | 11/16/78     | 04/22/79  | 2,578              | 151                 | 935                   | 47,986     | 96.00                |
| 16+00 to 22+00                 | RR    | 600'         | 11/16/78     | 04/23/79  | 3,075              | 256                 | 3,613                 | 62,021     | 103.00               |
| 26+00 to 31+00                 | RR    | 500'         | 11/19/78     | 04/24/79  | 2,560              | 1,857               | 2,578                 | 50,919     | 102.00               |
| 33+00 to 37+00                 | RR    | 400'         | 12/07/78     | 04/25/79  | 2,075              | 180                 | 2,472                 | 41,966     | 105.00               |
| 867.0                          | RR    | 2,000'       | 11/16/78     | 04/25/79  | 10,287             | 798                 | 9,598                 | 202,894    | 101.45               |
| 866.9                          | HP    | 110'         | 04/24/79     | 04/30/79  | 740                | 33                  | 72                    | 13,359     | 121.45               |
| 866.8                          | HP    | 110'         | 04/19/79     | 04/25/79  | 790                | 31                  | 72                    | 14,217     | 129.25               |
| 866.7                          | WRP   | 60'          | 03/07/79     | 03/08/79  | 290                | ---                 | 372                   | 5,525      | 92.08                |
| 866.55                         | WRP   | 50'          | 03/10/79     | 03/10/79  | 295                | ---                 | 370                   | 5,773      | 115.45               |
| 866.45                         | WRP   | 50'          | 03/14/79     | 03/14/79  | 301                | ---                 | 176                   | 5,557      | 111.15               |
| Subtotal                       |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            | \$615,000            |
| Clearing and Grubbing          |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            | 12,000               |
| Seeding                        |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            | 4,000                |
| Monitoring                     |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            | 31,000               |
| Supervision and Administration |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            | 37,000               |
| Engineering and Design         |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            | 27,000               |
| TOTAL COST                     |       |              |              |           |                    |                     |                       |            | \$726,000            |

\* WRP = Windrow Refusal; CR = Composite Revetment;  
HP = Hardpoint; RR = Reinforced Revetment



**PHOTO 9. 200 LB. GRADATION TEST**  
**(Photo Taken 19 April 1979)**



**PHOTO 10. 500 LB. GRADATION TEST**  
**(Photo Taken 10 March 1979)**

**SUNSHINE BOTTOM PROJECT AREA**  
**Photos 9 and 10**





**PHOTO 11. HARDPOINTS 866.9 AND 866.8, APPROXIMATELY  
1 YEAR AFTER COMPLETION. (Photo Taken  
15 April 1980)**



**PHOTO 12. REINFORCED REVETMENT 867.0, STA. 10+00, AFTER  
STONE TOE PLACEMENT AND PRIOR TO TIERBACK  
CONSTRUCTION. (Photo Taken 23 April 1979)**

**SUNSHINE BOTTOM PROJECT AREA  
Photos 11 and 12**



**PHOTO 13. REINFORCED REVETMENT 867.0, STATION 10+00,  
IMMEDIATELY AFTER COMPLETION. (Photo Taken  
12 April 1979)**



**PHOTO 14. REINFORCED REVETMENT 867.0, STA. 10+00,  
APPROXIMATELY 15 MONTHS AFTER COMPLETION.  
(Photo Taken August 1980)**

**SUNSHINE BOTTOM PROJECT AREA  
Photos 13 and 14**



**PHOTO 15. REINFORCED REVETMENT 867.0, STATION 0+00,  
APPROXIMATELY 15 MONTHS AFTER COMPLETION.  
(Photo Taken August 1980)**



**PHOTO 16. COMPOSITE REVETMENT 868.0, STA. 17+00,  
APPROXIMATELY 11 MONTHS AFTER COMPLETION.  
(Photo Taken 15 April 1980)**

**SUNSHINE BOTTOM PROJECT AREA  
Photos 15 and 16**

**D. CONTRACT AND MODIFICATION COSTS.**

1. White Swan Project Area. This project was completed in the spring of 1981. Table 2-6 displays the project construction schedule and Table 2-7 displays the bid schedule which includes estimated material quantities and total initial contract bid costs.

2. Sunshine Bottom Project Area. Only one modification was made to the construction contract. This modification substituted HP 866.9 and HP 866.8 for a windrow refusal and reinforced revetment segment called for in the original plan. The modification resulted in a decrease of \$12,043 in the contract cost. Total project construction costs were \$631,000, and are shown by structure on table 2-9.

#### IV. PERFORMANCE OF PROTECTION

##### A. MONITORING PROGRAM.

The monitoring program for the Sunshine Bottom demonstration project was developed in November 1978, and the monitoring schedule for the White Swan project was developed in September 1980. The monitoring programs for both projects in this reach are composed of several common items, as follows: bankline location surveys; overbank/streambank cross sections; velocity measurements; controlled aerial photography; ground level photographs; and qualitative structural changes.

A lump sum bid item, "Monitoring and Documentation," was included in the construction contracts. This bid item consisted of two parts, cross sections and photography.

1. CROSS SECTIONS. Cross sections were obtained at the intervals described below for each structure type.

a. Hardpoints: Root sections, 25 feet or less (2 minimum) oriented perpendicular to the root alignment; and one following the structure alignment or centerline from the landward end of the root and extending riverward past the terminus of the hardpoint spur.

b. Reinforced Revetment: Two hundred feet or less oriented perpendicular to the structure alignment; and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the construction schedule.

c. Windrow Refusals: One oriented along the refusal alignment.

d. Composite Revetment: Two hundred feet or less oriented perpendicular to the riverbank; and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the construction schedule.

e. Windrow Revetments: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section at the upstream and downstream ends and the midpoint of any segment ordered on the construction schedule. Each section shall be oriented perpendicular to the structure alignment.

f. Interstructure Gaps: Two hundred feet or less and a minimum of one section located at the midpoint of the gap.

Each cross section was monumented by the contractor to allow simple reestablishment of the cross section location to within 2 feet of its original position at any time within 5 years after construction has been completed. A recording sonic sounder which produced a continuous strip chart recording was required by the contract specifications to complete cross sections across water areas. A set of complete cross sections was taken prior to any construction activity. Partial or complete sections were obtained to accurately document the following construction activities.

- The lines and grades of all excavations immediately prior to placement of stone or other protective materials.

- The lines and grades immediately after placement of protective materials, including underwater portions of reinforced revetment and composite revetment toes, and hardpoint spurs.

- Lines and grades following backfilling and grading.

Additional cross sections were required at locations on either side of obvious topographic changes and on each end of transition zones between structure types.

2. PHOTOGRAPHY. Photography consisted of two different items: construction progress photographs and structure photographs. Black and white structure photographs of selected, representative structures consist of three photographs for each selected structure: one taken prior to construction work; one taken during construction; and one taken after construction is complete. Construction progress photographs, in color, conform to the following location and frequency criteria:

a. Material Acquisition Sites: Photographs were obtained of the rock and gravel when stockpiled for each gradation test at the quarry site and the job site. The field of view includes a 1-foot (minimum) interval of a rod, graduated to tenths-of-feet or smaller, for dimensional reference.

b. Reinforced Revetment: Photographs were obtained of the upstream end and at 500-foot intervals for each revetment segment longer than 1,000 feet. For revetment segments between 1,000 and 500 feet in length, photographs were obtained for the upstream end and at the midpoint of the segment. For revetment segments 500 feet or less in length, photographs were obtained at the upstream end. All photographs were oriented in the downstream direction.

The photographs were taken prior to any construction; prior to application of the bank zone treatments; and after structure completion. The same vantage point was used for each series of photos.

c. Composite Revetment: Photographs were obtained of the upstream end and at 500-foot intervals for each revetment segment longer than 1,000 feet. For revetment segments less than 1,000 feet in length, photographs were obtained for the upstream end and at the midpoint of the segment. All photographs were oriented in the downstream direction. The photographs shall be taken prior to any clearing, excavation, stone placement, and backfilling; then after backfilling and grading. The same vantage point was used for each series of photos.

d. Hardpoints: Photographs were obtained at each hardpoint location. The photographs include the bankline prior to construction; the completed structure, taken along the structure azimuth line; and the structure and downstream bankline, taken parallel to the bankline.

### 3. SITE SPECIFIC MONITORING.

a. The Sunshine Bottom Project has been monitored for 18 months since its completion in August 1979. A bankline location survey and overbank/streambank cross section measurements were taken in July 1978. Velocity measurements were taken in 1978 and 1980. Comparative velocity trends are shown on Plate 2-8. Cross sections were also taken by the contractor upon completion of each structure. The preconstruction bankline location for 1978 and the bankline location for 1980 are shown on Plate 2-1. Controlled aerial photography was taken in 1978 and 1980. Ground level photographs were taken and qualitative structural changes were noted during each field reconnaissance in the project vicinity.



b. The White Swan project area was completed in the spring, 1981, and cross sections are being taken by the contractor, as described above.

## B. EVALUATION OF PROTECTION PERFORMANCE

1. SUNSHINE BOTTOM AREA. This project area was constructed of three basic types of structures, including composite revetment, reinforced revetment and hardpoints. The upstream 1/3 of the project bankline is stabilized with 3 segments of composite revetment. The remaining 2/3 of the project is composed of reinforced revetment segments and intermittent hardpoints along an relatively straight bankline.

a. Specific Observations. The composite revetment segments and reinforced revetment segments were incorrectly constructed with very irregular sloped stone toes which do not exactly follow the typical section. The rear bank channel conditions along the three segments of composite revetment located along the upstream 1/3 of the project have significantly changed since structure completion. Channel depths were reduced by more than 50% within 50 feet of the bankline and average velocities within 50 feet have been significantly reduced. This is caused by the most upstream structure system redirecting the main flows away from the previously eroding bankline. Each of the six reinforced revetment structures have functioned very well in eliminating the previous erosion conditions. Channel depths along the remaining 2/3 of the project length have not changed much since structure completion and remain approximately 5 to 10 feet. The underwater slope along the composite revetment and reinforced revetment in the project area became more uniform and much flatter. The hardpoints along the entire project have been very effective in redirecting the main flows away from the highly erodible bankline. Hardpoints 866.9 and 866.8 were constructed as L-heads due to channel depths of approximately 10 feet within 50 feet of the bankline. The bankline is generally protected by 600-foot revetment segments with gaps

ranging from 40 feet to 400 feet. The percentage of actual protected bankline at this project site is approximately 70 percent, however, the entire project area is effectively stabilized, with no damage areas encountered.

b. Recommendations. In this area, the hardpoints, reinforced revetment and composite revetment structures demonstrated have all been very effective in eliminating erosion along this area. Construction of the reinforced revetment segments and hardpoints resulted in significant amounts of clearing which can be partially explained by the contractor undertaking more clearing than necessary. Even though the composite revetment and reinforced revetment segments did not follow the general bankline configuration very well, they have been effective. Recommendations on tieback spacing intervals cannot be made because the tieback spacings have not been adequately tested. The composite revetment structures were the simplest to construct and most effective in eliminating erosion. Also, since these structures are constructed entirely riverward of the highbank, they require the least amount of upper bank disturbance (clearing) to construct.

2. WHITE SWAN AREA. The contract for this project was not completed until Spring 1981. Therefore, the various structures constructed at this project site have not been functional for a sufficient time to evaluate their design and effectiveness. This project does contain a new, previously untested, hardpoint design (HARDPOINT - TYPE II), which is composed of only an approximate 50 foot hardpoint extending riverward from the bankline without a stone root constructed into the bank to protect the structure from landward erosion flanking. This structure is exemplified by Hardpoint 869.24. In addition, a series of 10 hardpoints were constructed at varying interval spacings (150 feet to 350 feet) which will provide an excellent demonstration of spacing effects on the structure erosion control capability. The reinforced revetments were constructed significantly different from previous reinforced revetment designs demonstrated. Several of the reinforced revetment segments were constructed using a stone toe placed slightly riverward of the bankline,

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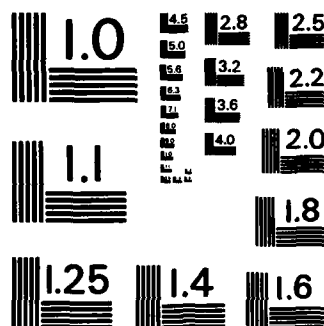
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without placing earth fill landward of the stone toe, thereby resulting in an open cell area between the tiebacks. In addition, the crown of the stone toe was variable from a horizontal elevation, two feet below normal water surface, to a sloping crown which began at the normal water surface elevation at the tieback and sloped to two feet below normal water surface at the next downstream tieback. The windrow revetment structures were constructed using an application range of 3.5 to 4.5 tons per linear foot of stone. To date, these segments of windrow revetment have not started the stone displacement process to form the lower bank erosion resistant layer.

**C. GENERAL CONCLUSIONS FOR THE ENTIRE FT. RANDALL TO NIOBRARA REACH OF THE MISSOURI RIVER.**

a. The only windrow revetment segments constructed in this reach are at the White Swan Area, and were completed in Spring 1981. The stone is just beginning to displace and has not yet reached a stable condition, therefore, conclusions cannot be made.

b. Reinforced revetment maximum toe crown elevations should be at two feet below normal water surface to allow effective utilization of stone tiebacks.

c. Conclusions on tieback spacing cannot be made at this time because the tiebacks, spaced at 100 feet, have not been adequately tested.

d. The composite revetment segments have been very effective in providing immediate erosion protection with the least amount of upper bank disturbance. Stone material application rate of 4.4 tons of stone per linear foot of bankline is an optimum rate for composite revetment structure stability for the normal conditions encountered in this reach.

e. Hardpoints should be constructed along concave shaped banklines where the flows are not directly impingent on the bank, as done at the White Swan Area, shown on Plate 1-1.

f. Windrow refusals extending 50 to 75 feet landward of the bank should be constructed at the upstream end of each revetment segment to eliminate the possibility of flows flanking the structure, resulting in complete structure failure.

g. The length of a single revetment segment is dependent upon the specific site conditions. The minimum length should be approximately 400 feet.

h. Only quality stone has been utilized as toe material on this reach of the Missouri River, and has functioned very well.

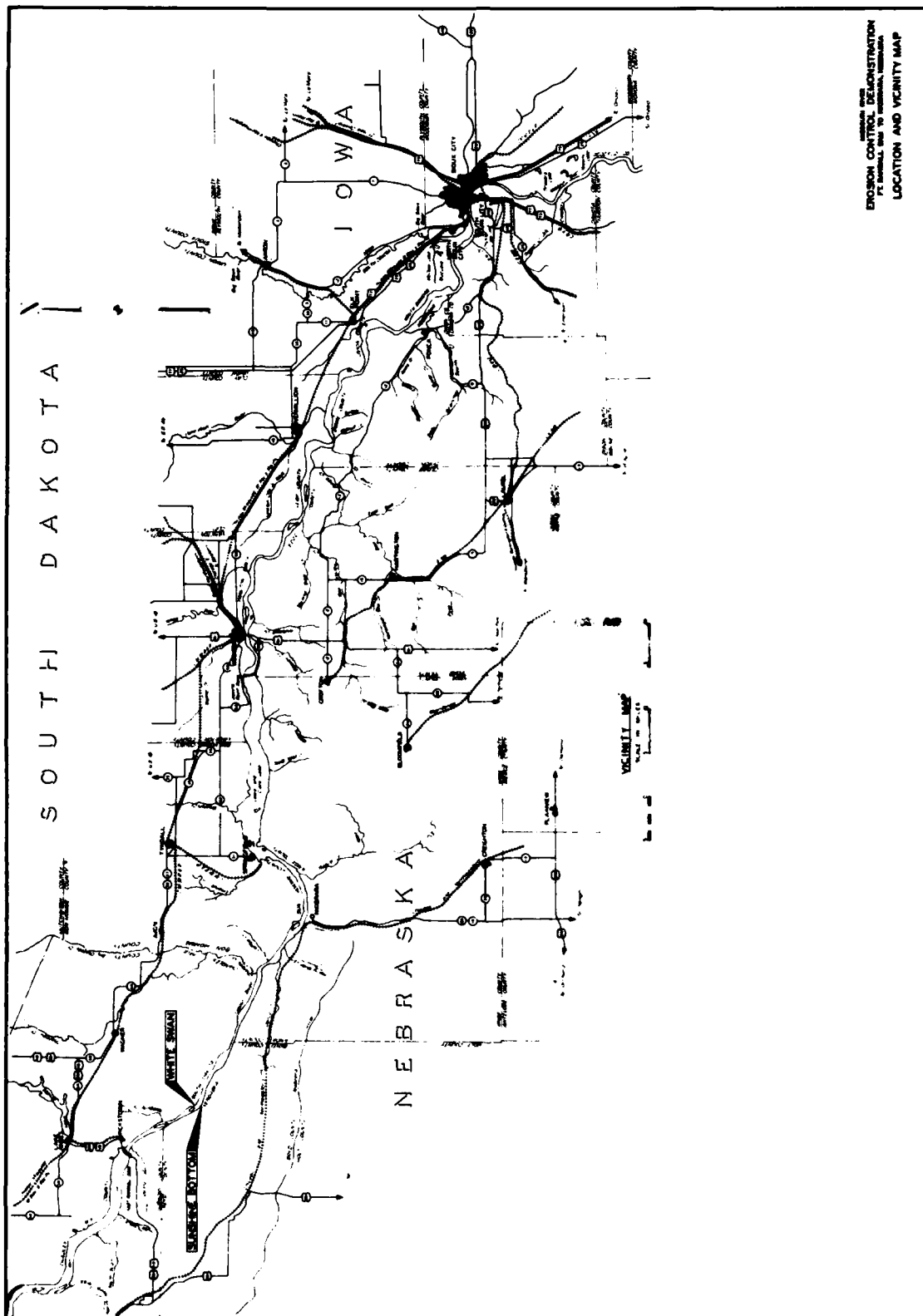
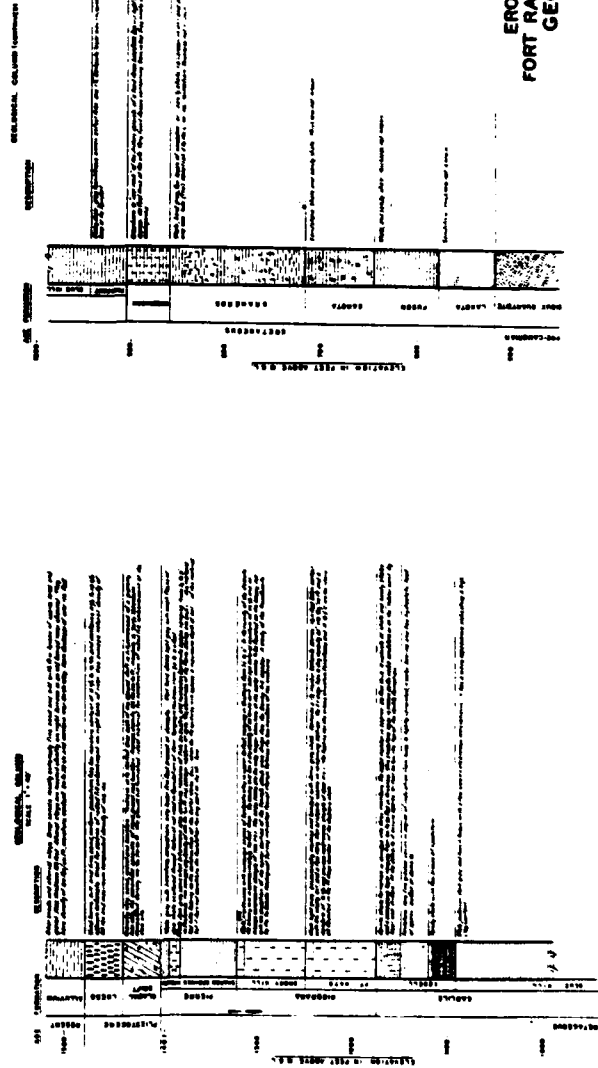
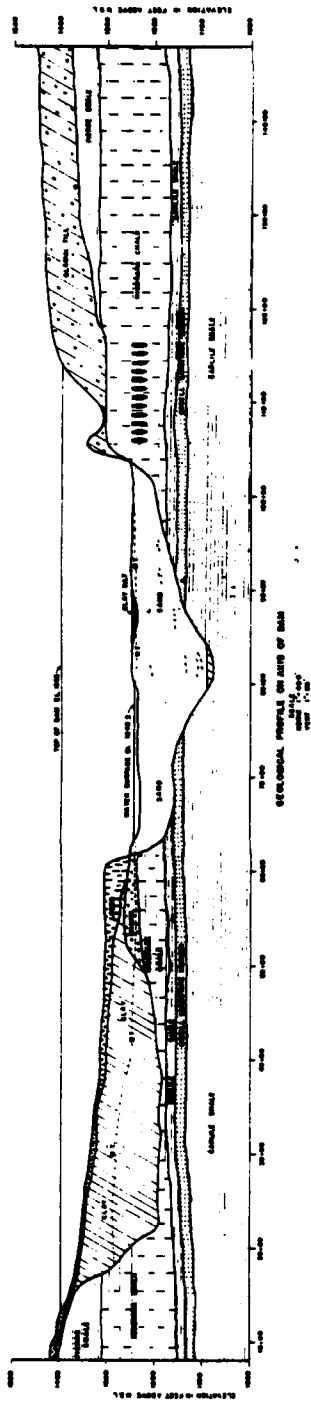


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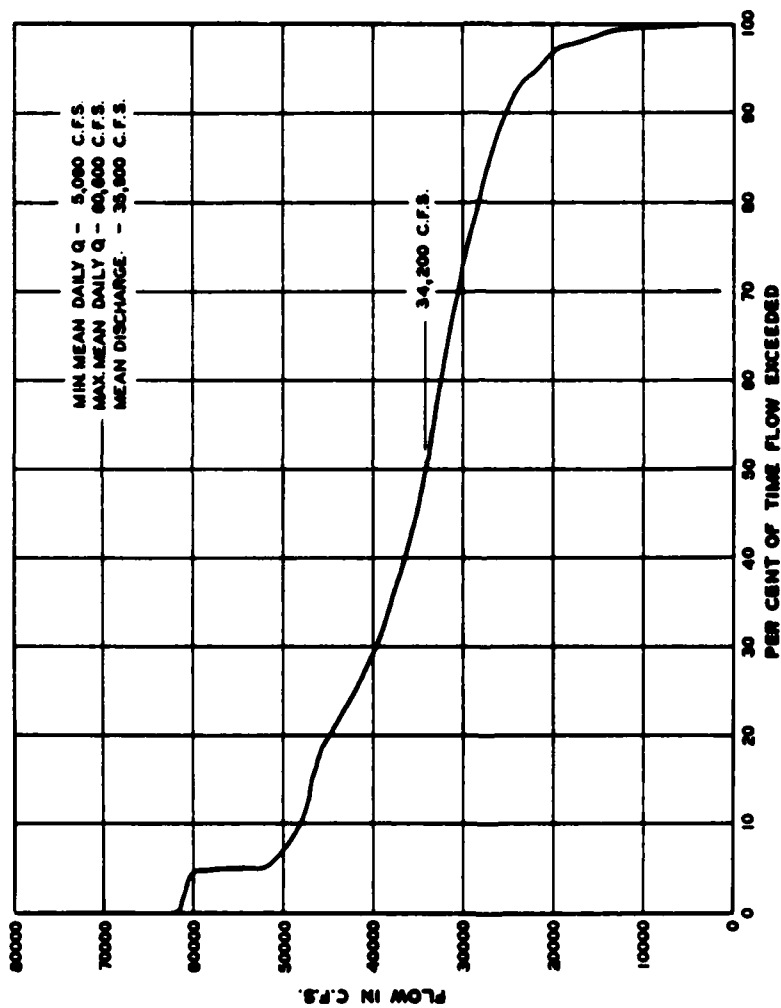






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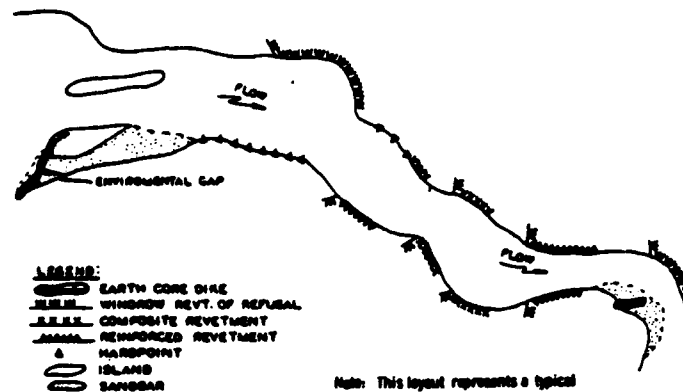




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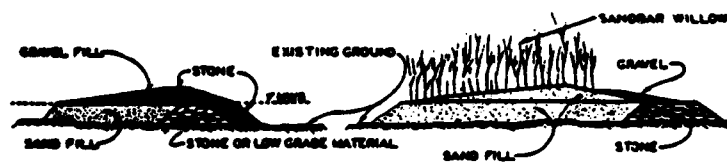
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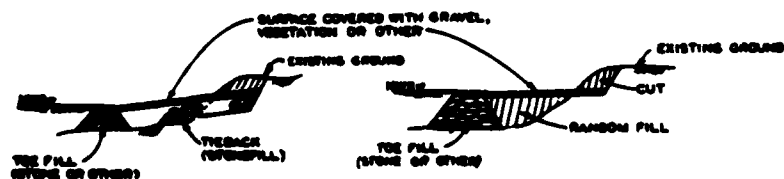
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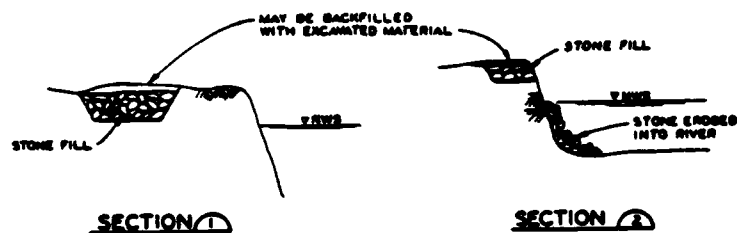
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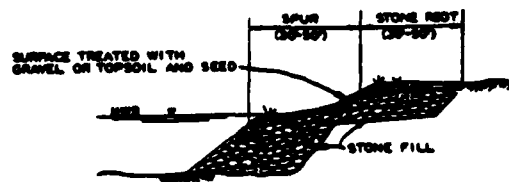


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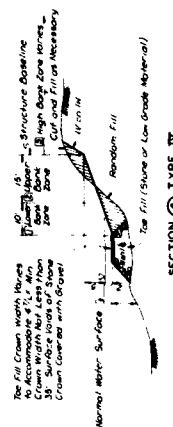
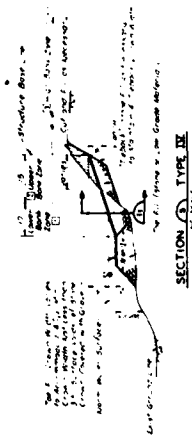
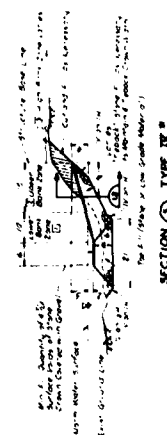
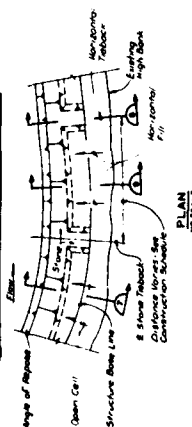
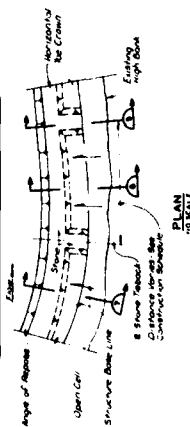


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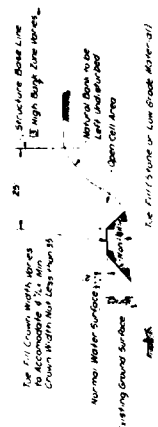
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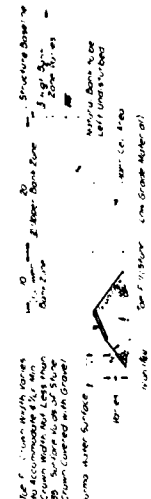
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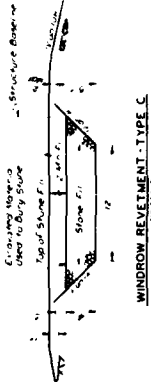


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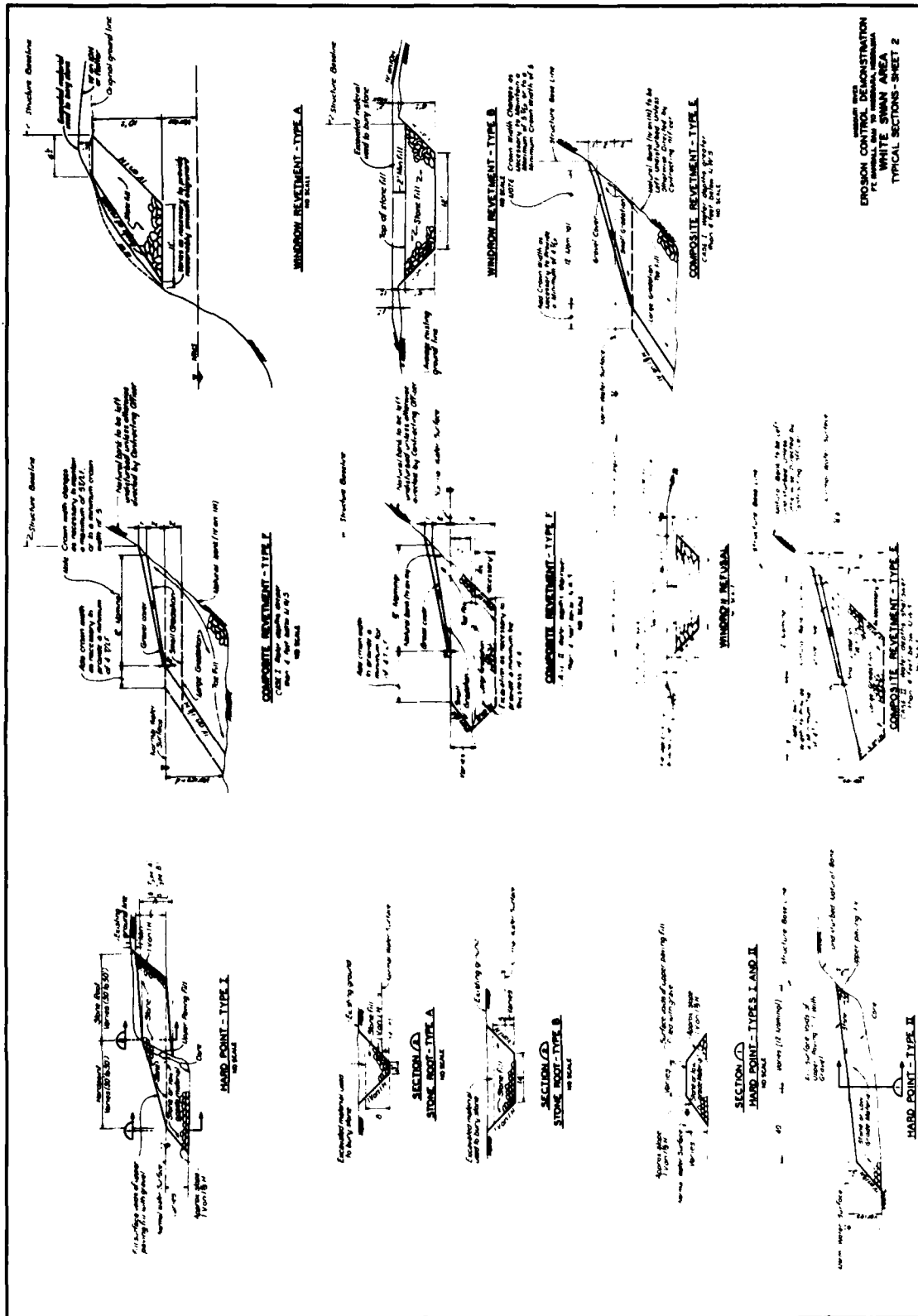


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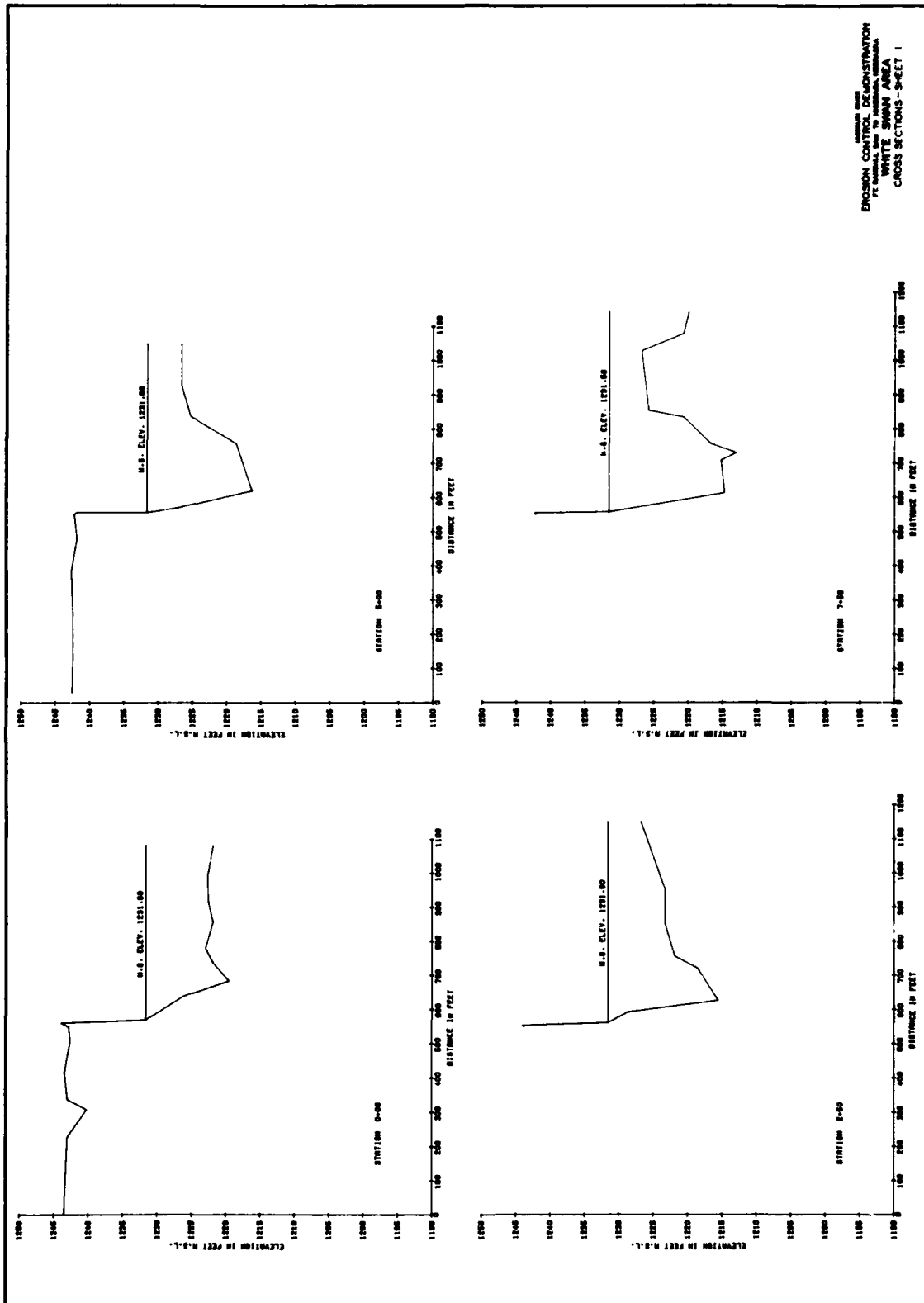
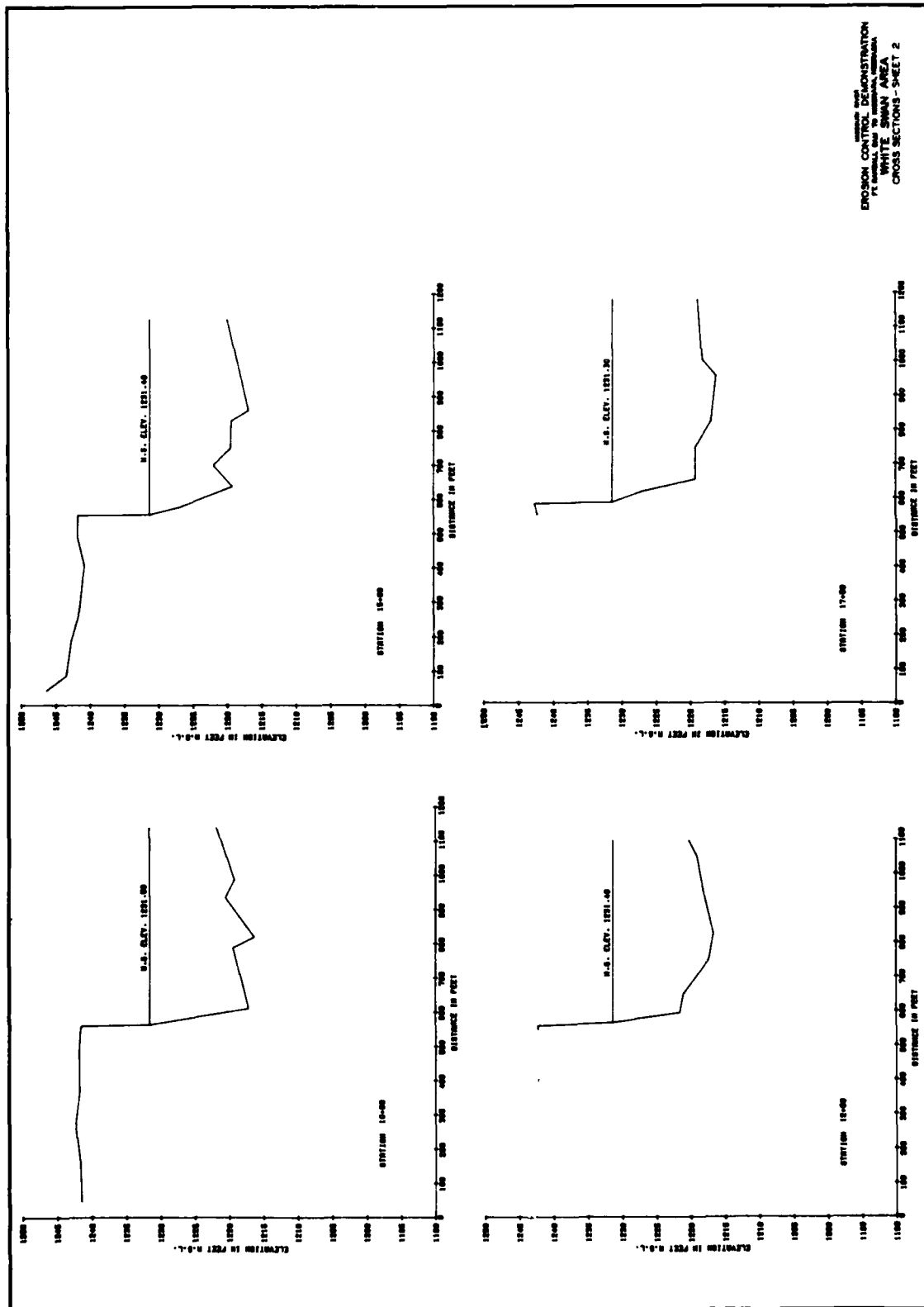


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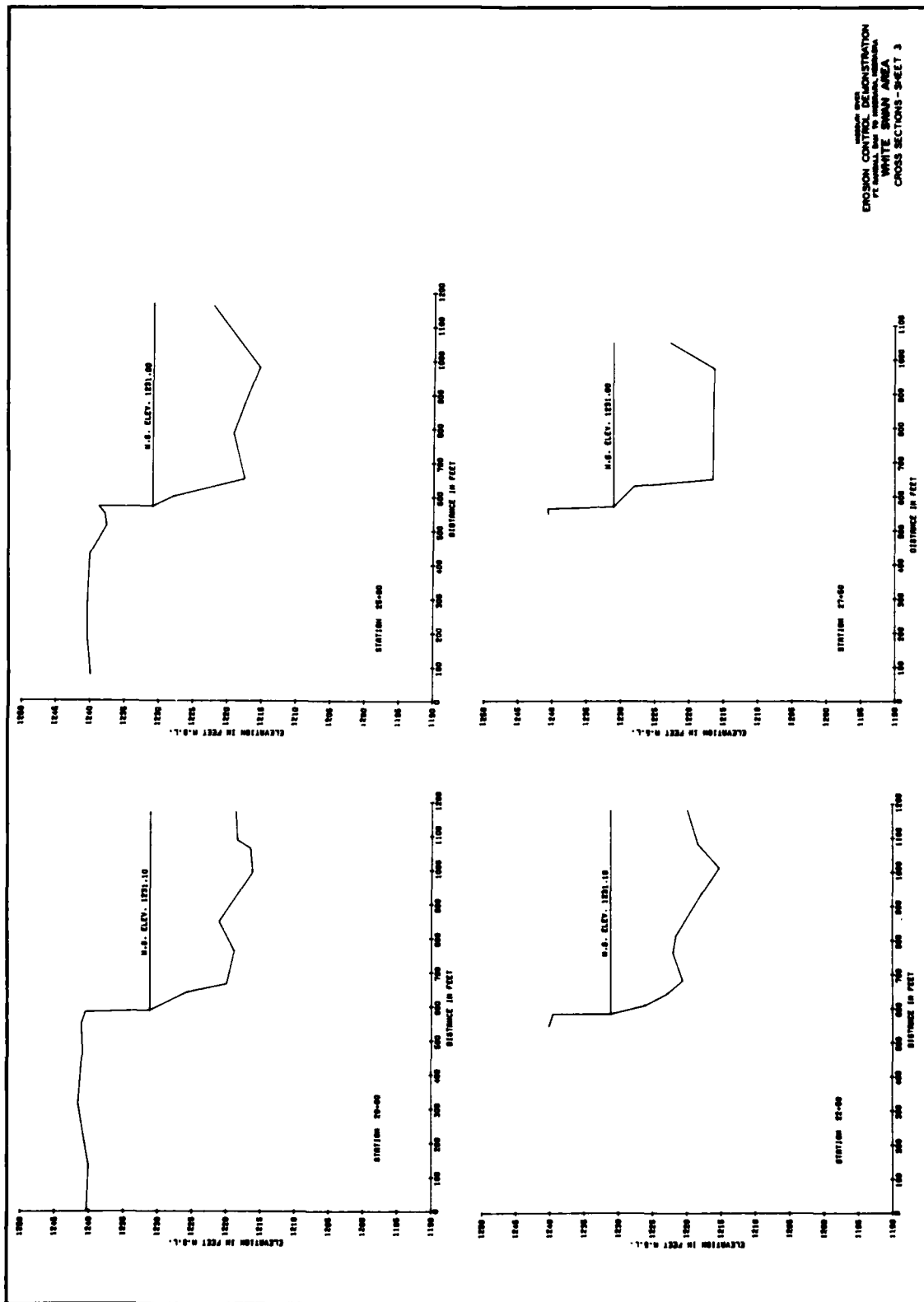


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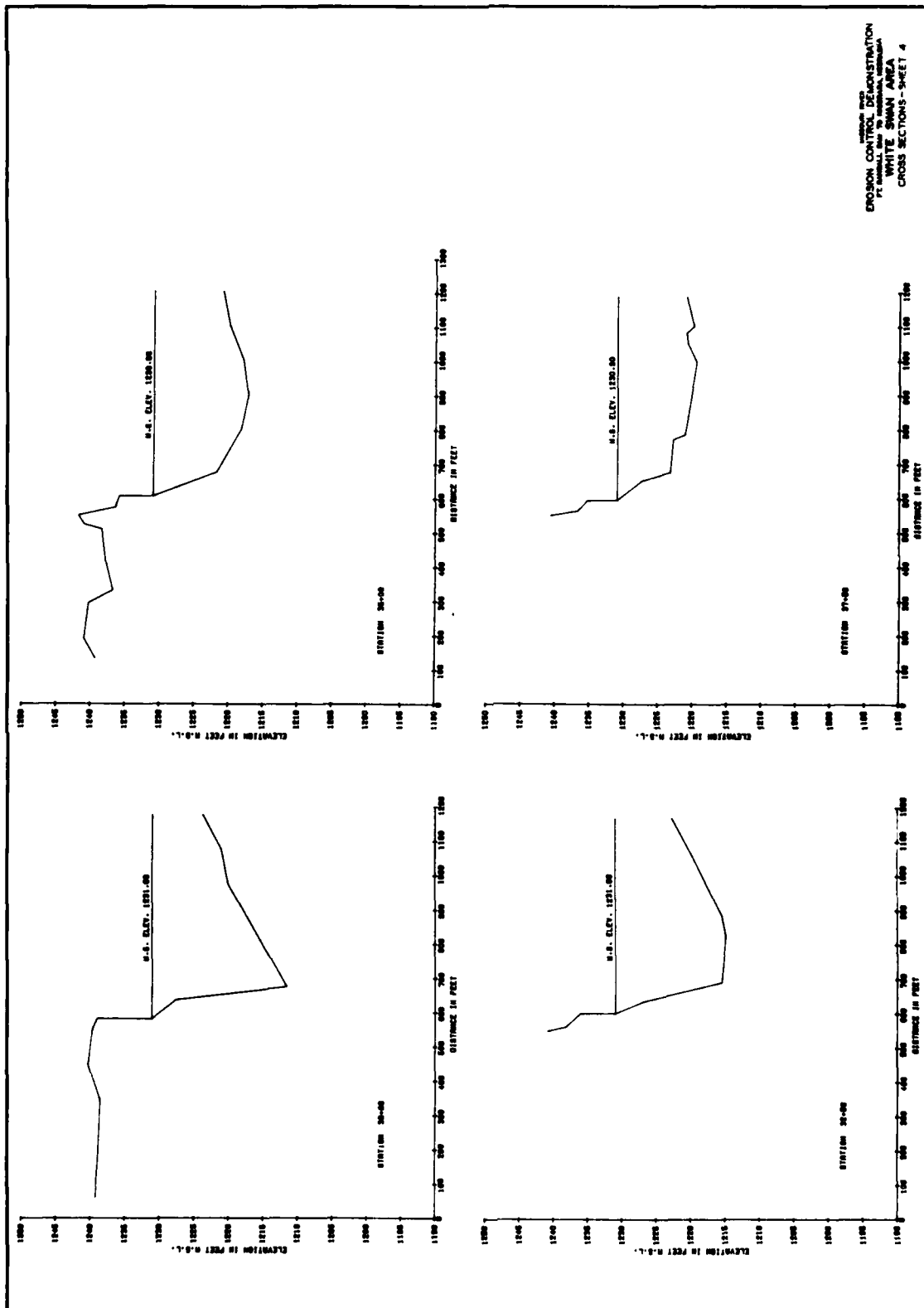


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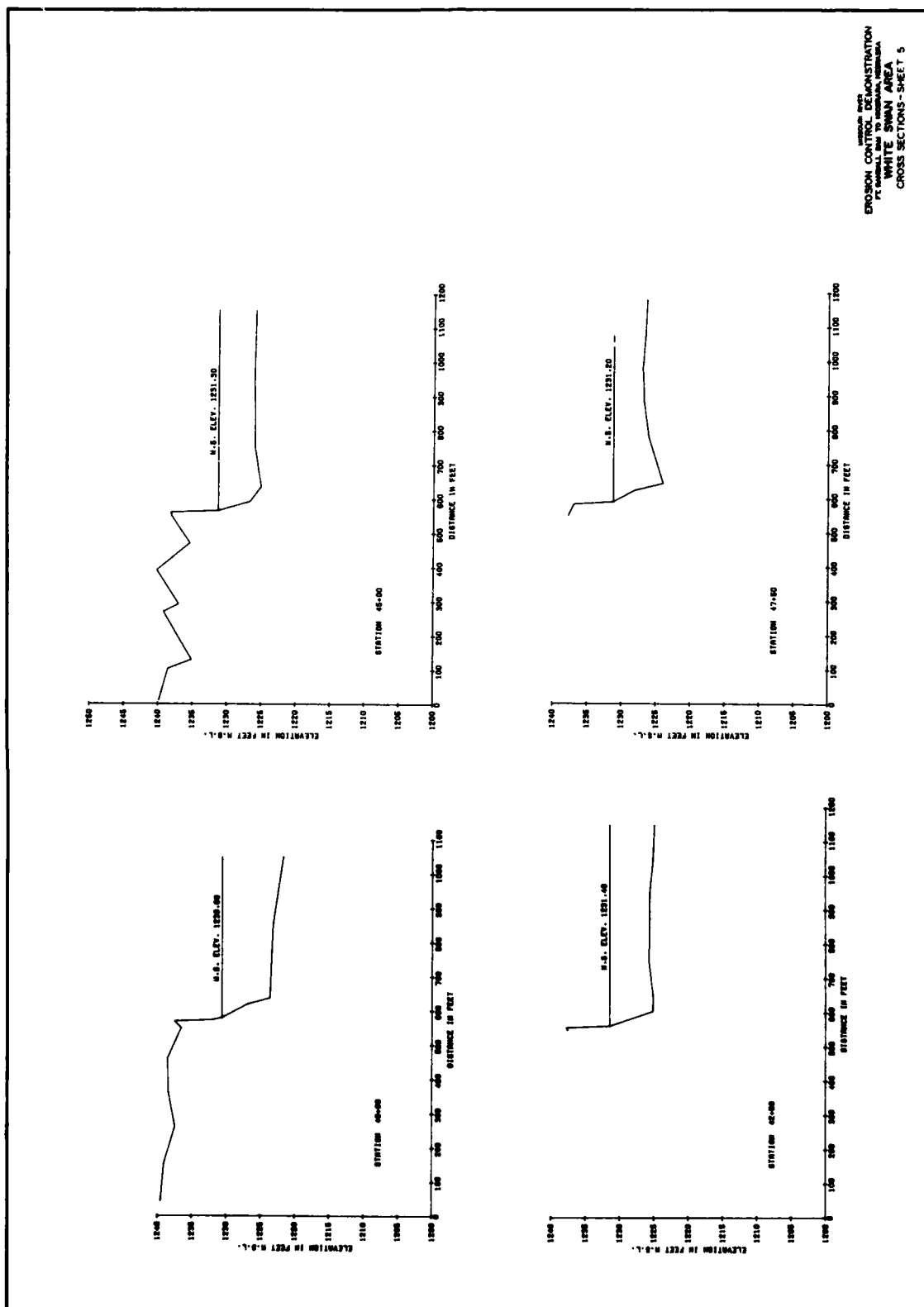


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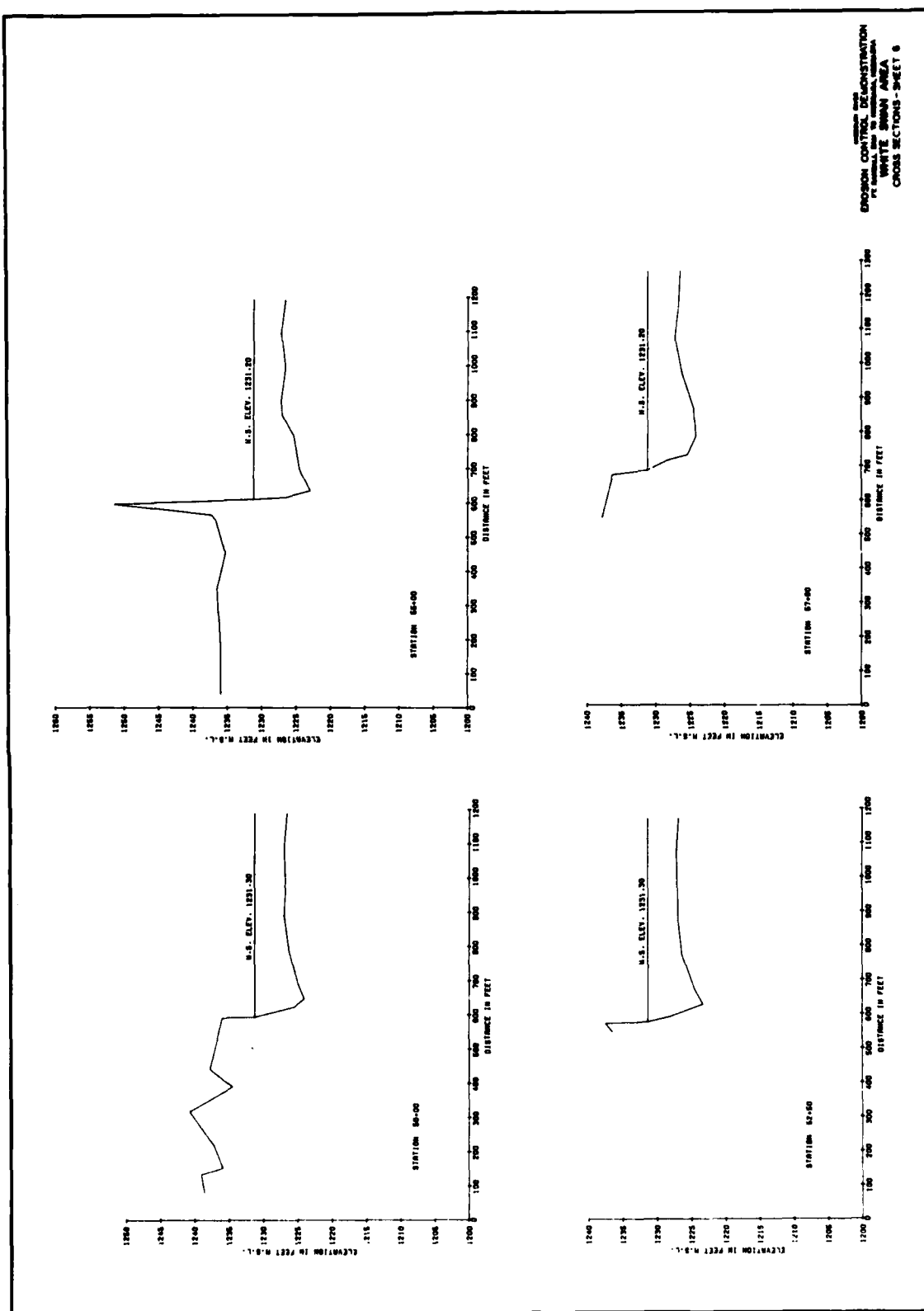


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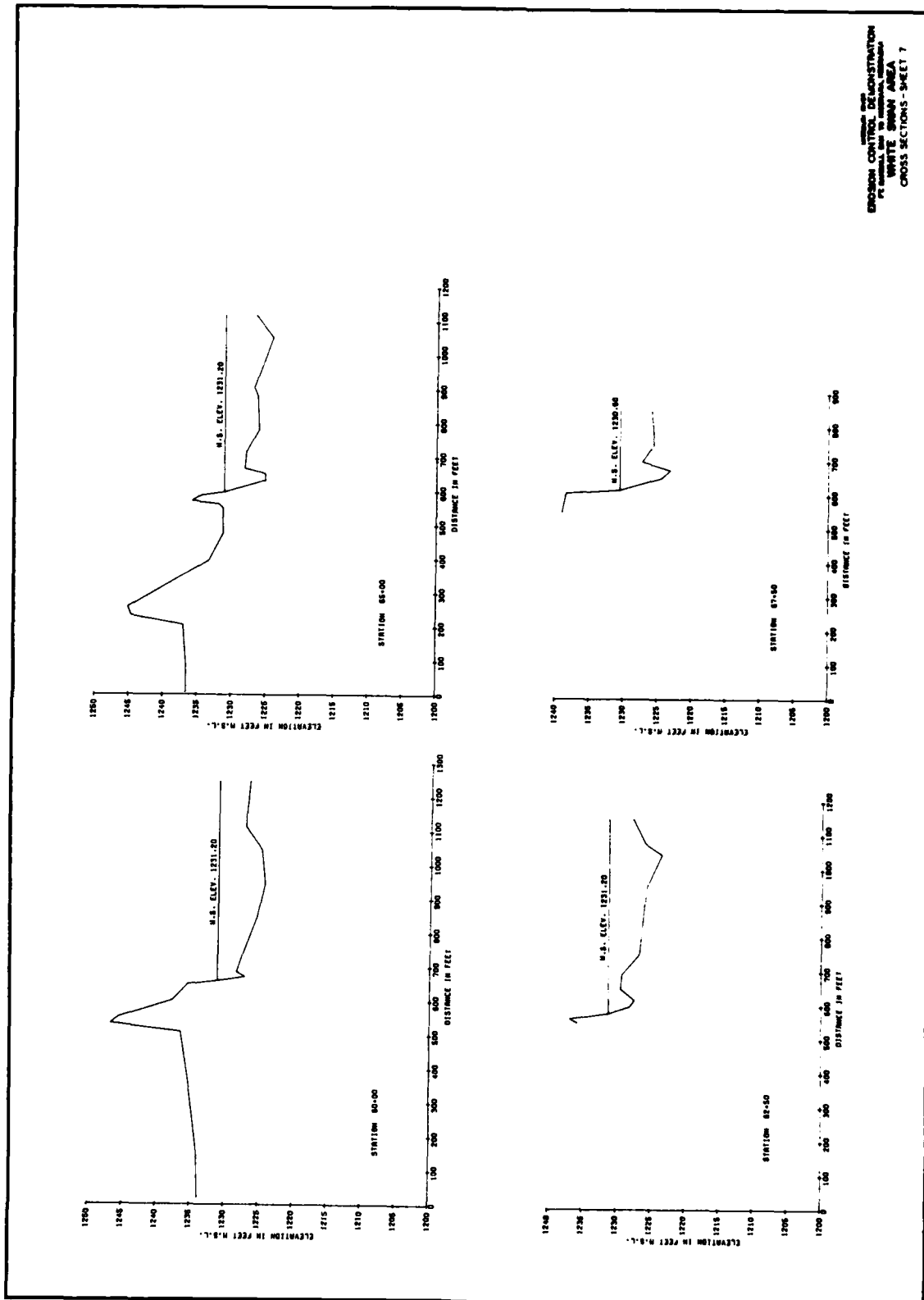


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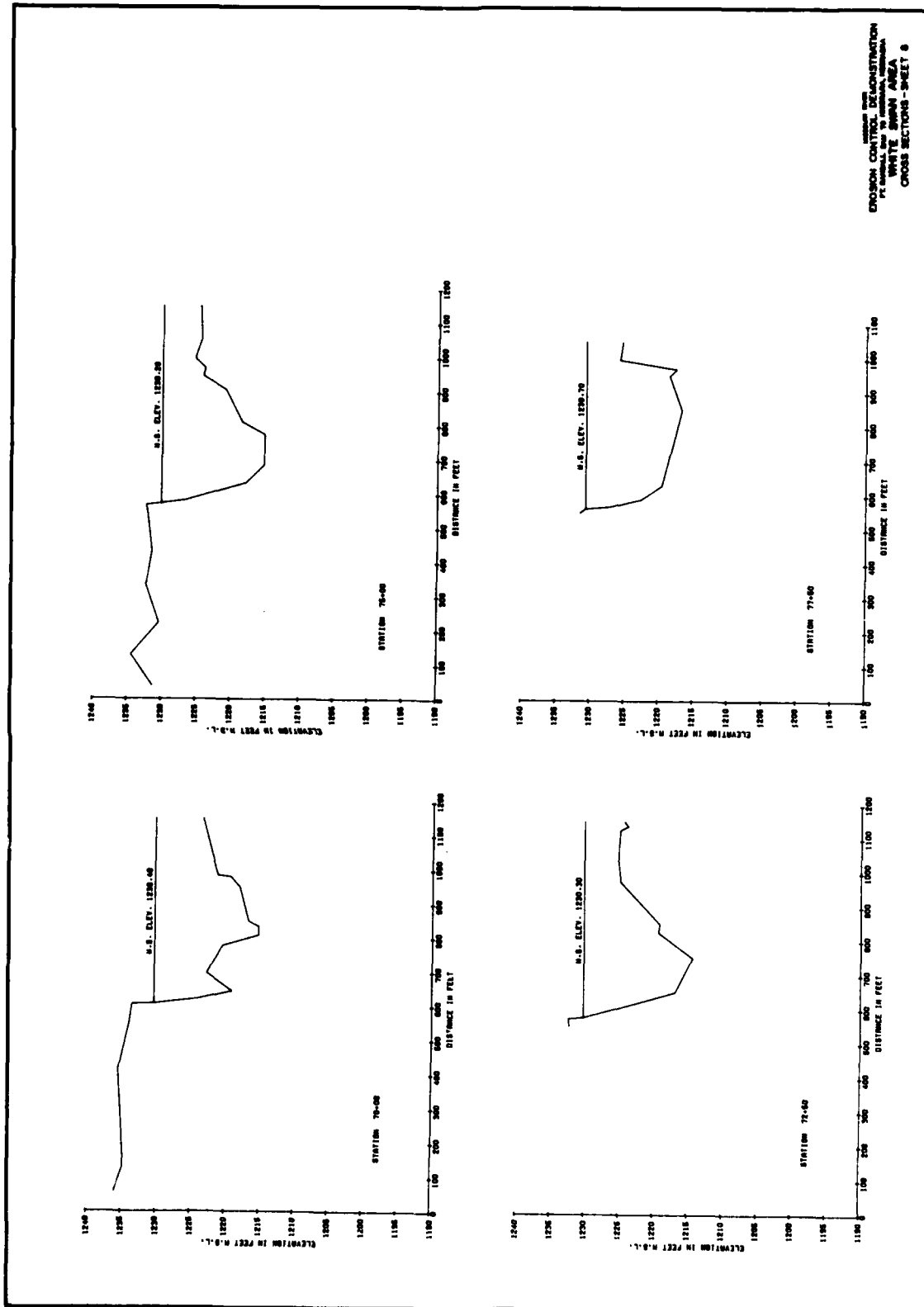


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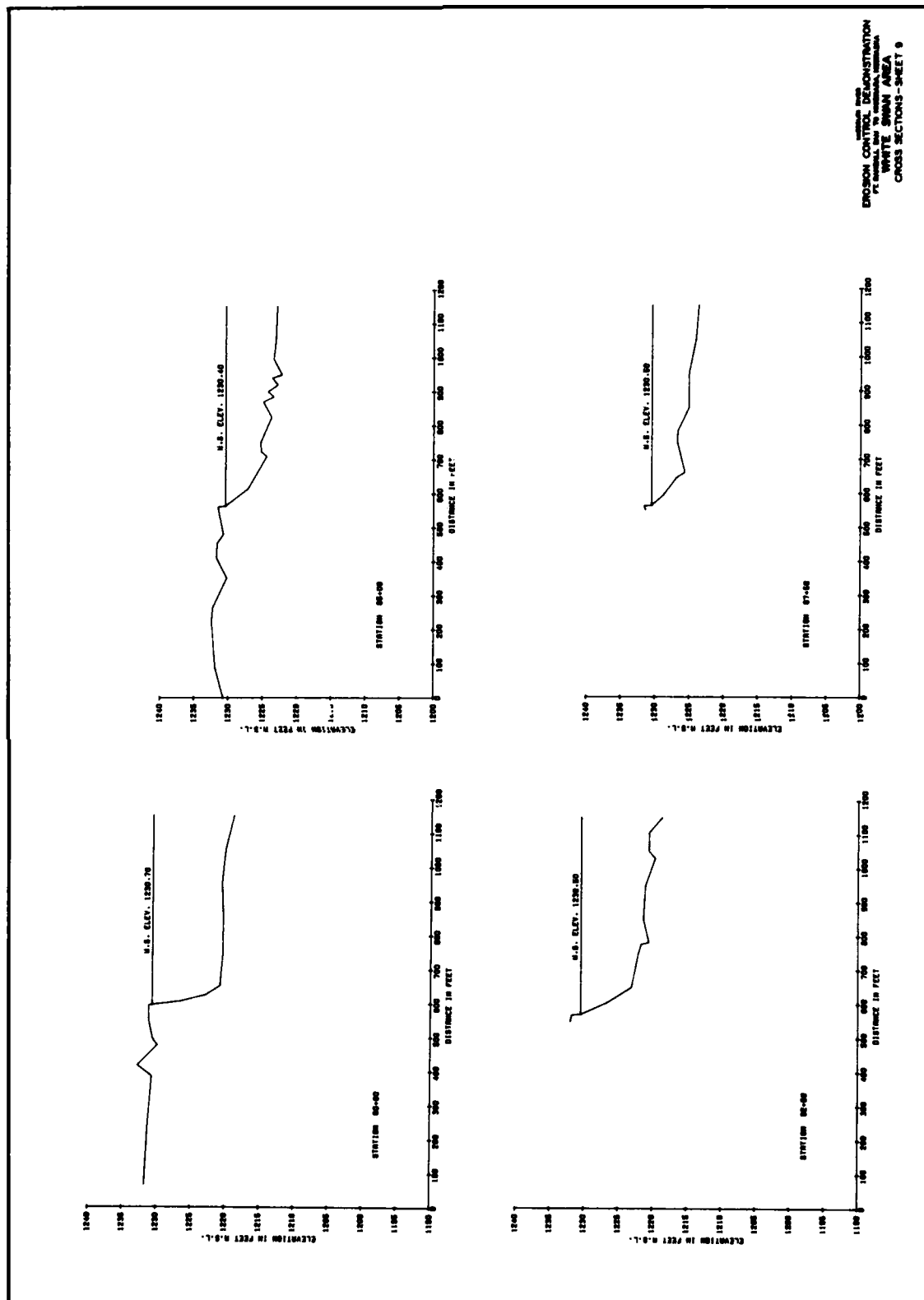


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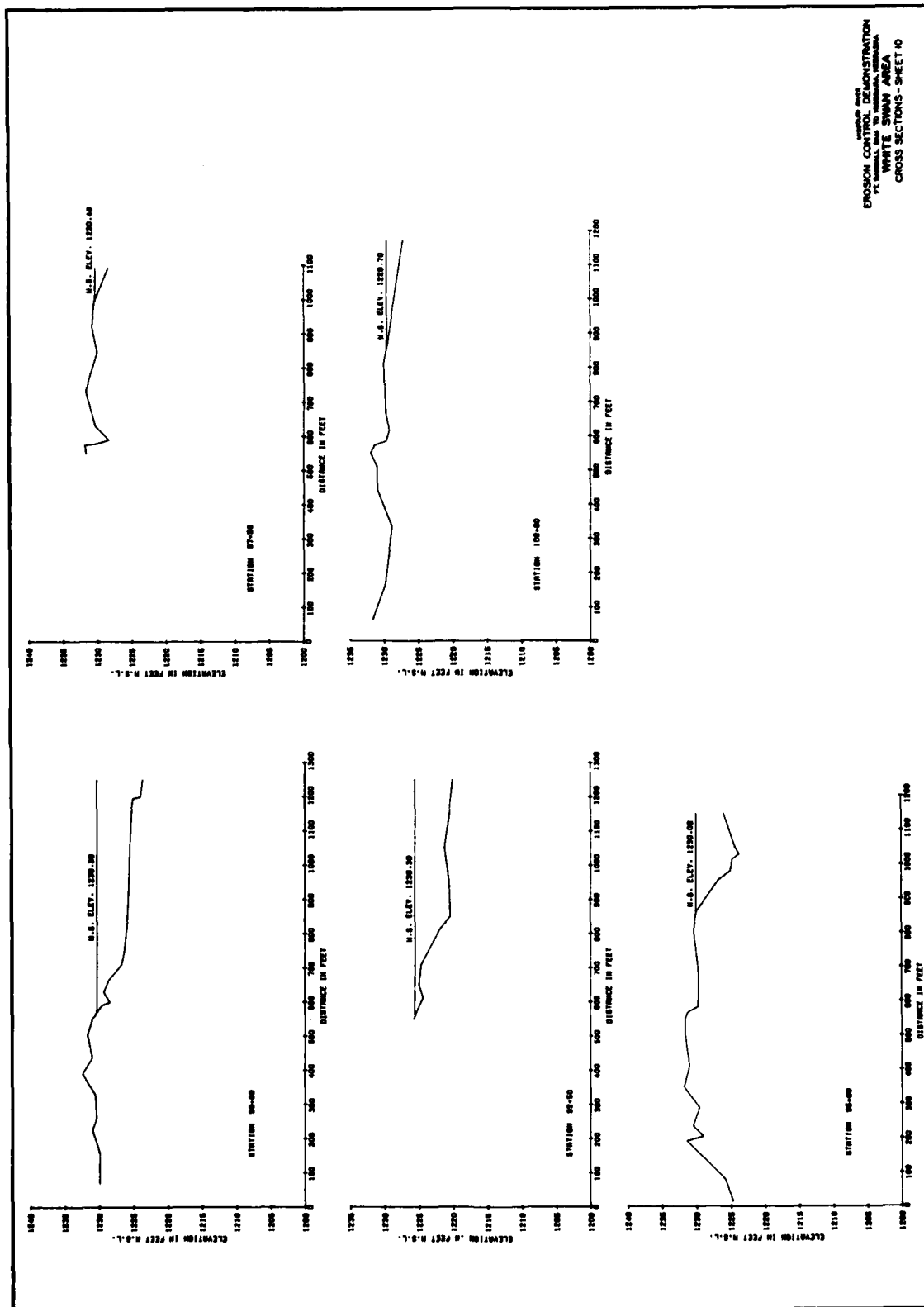


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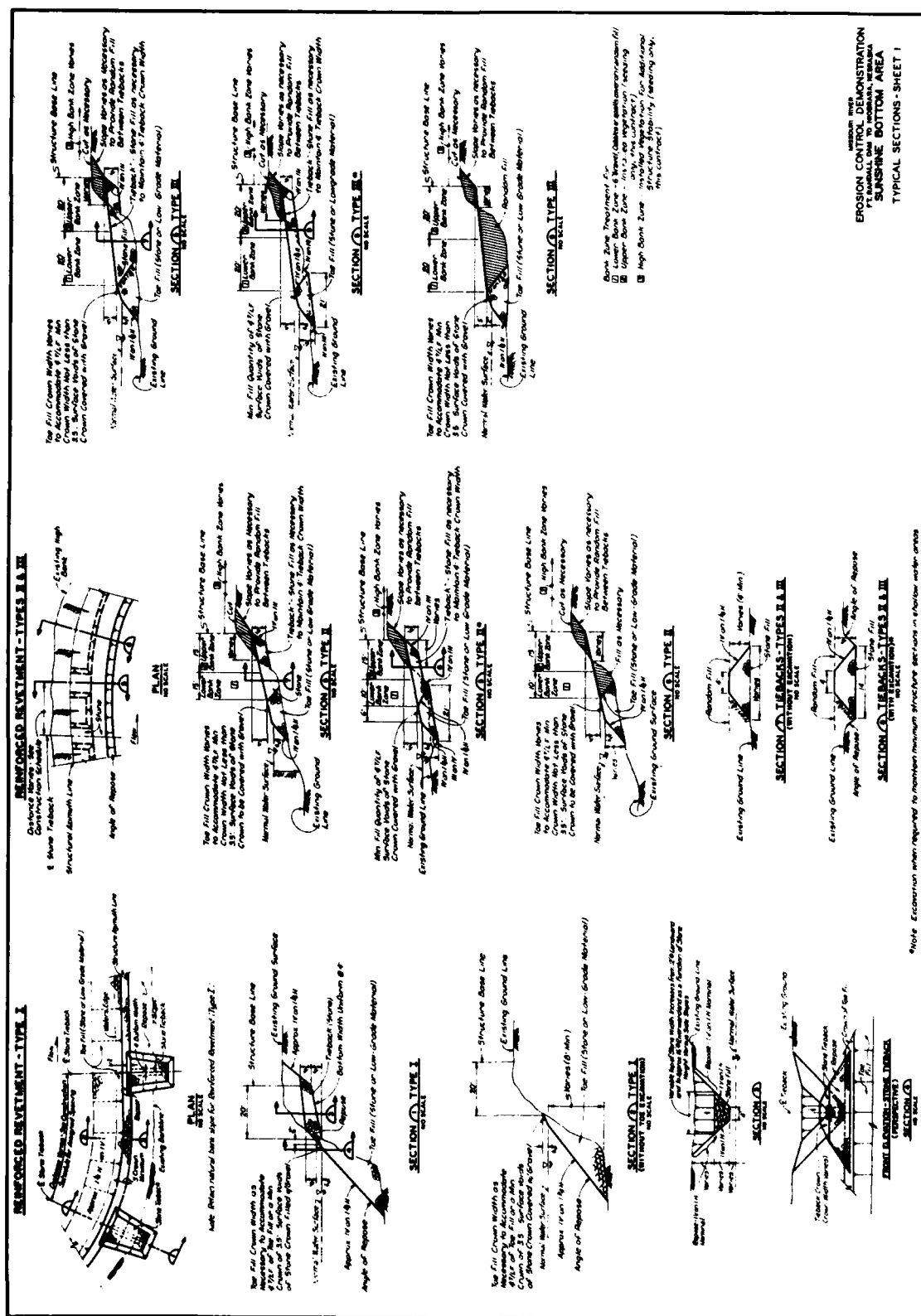
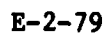
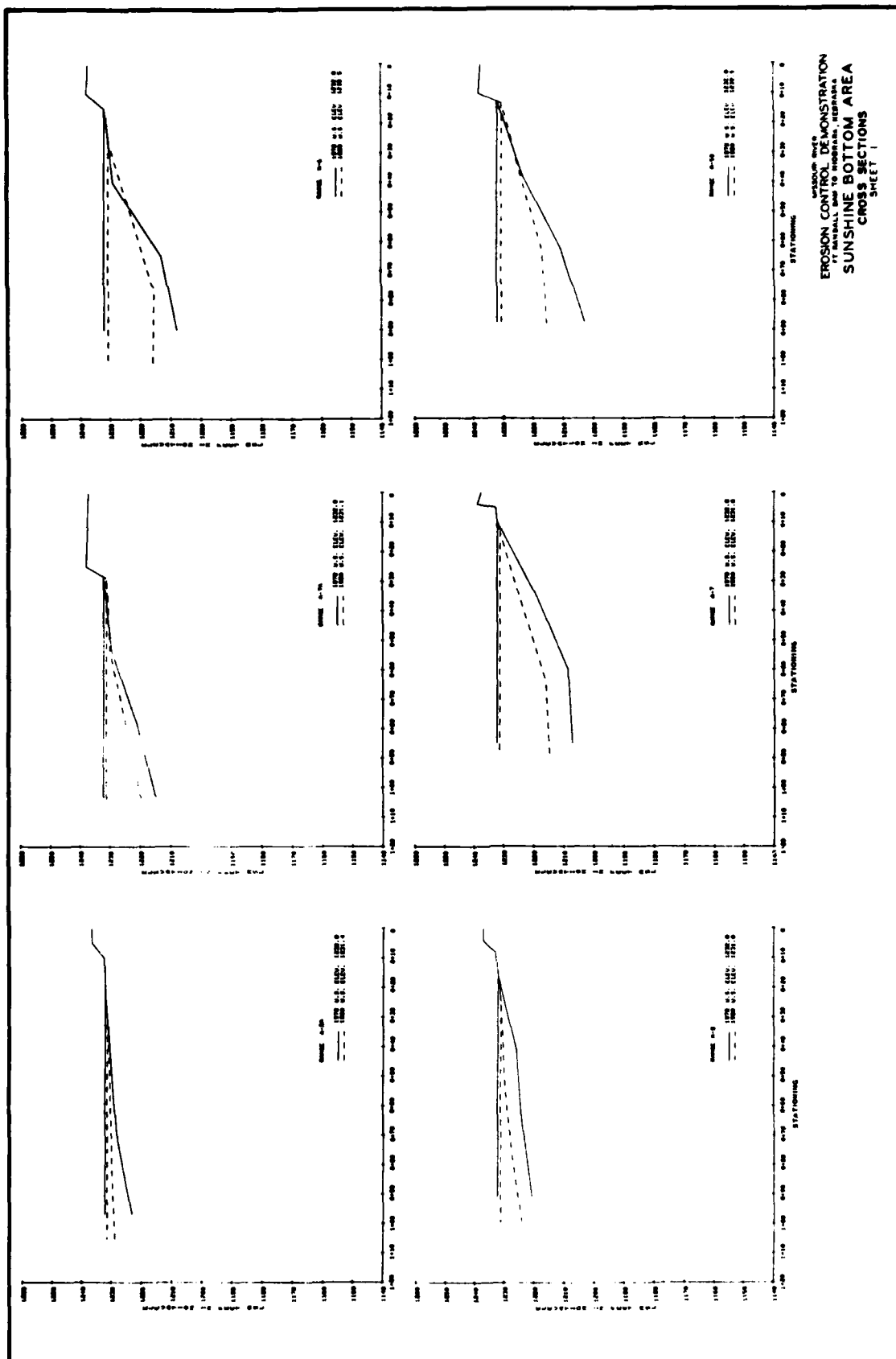


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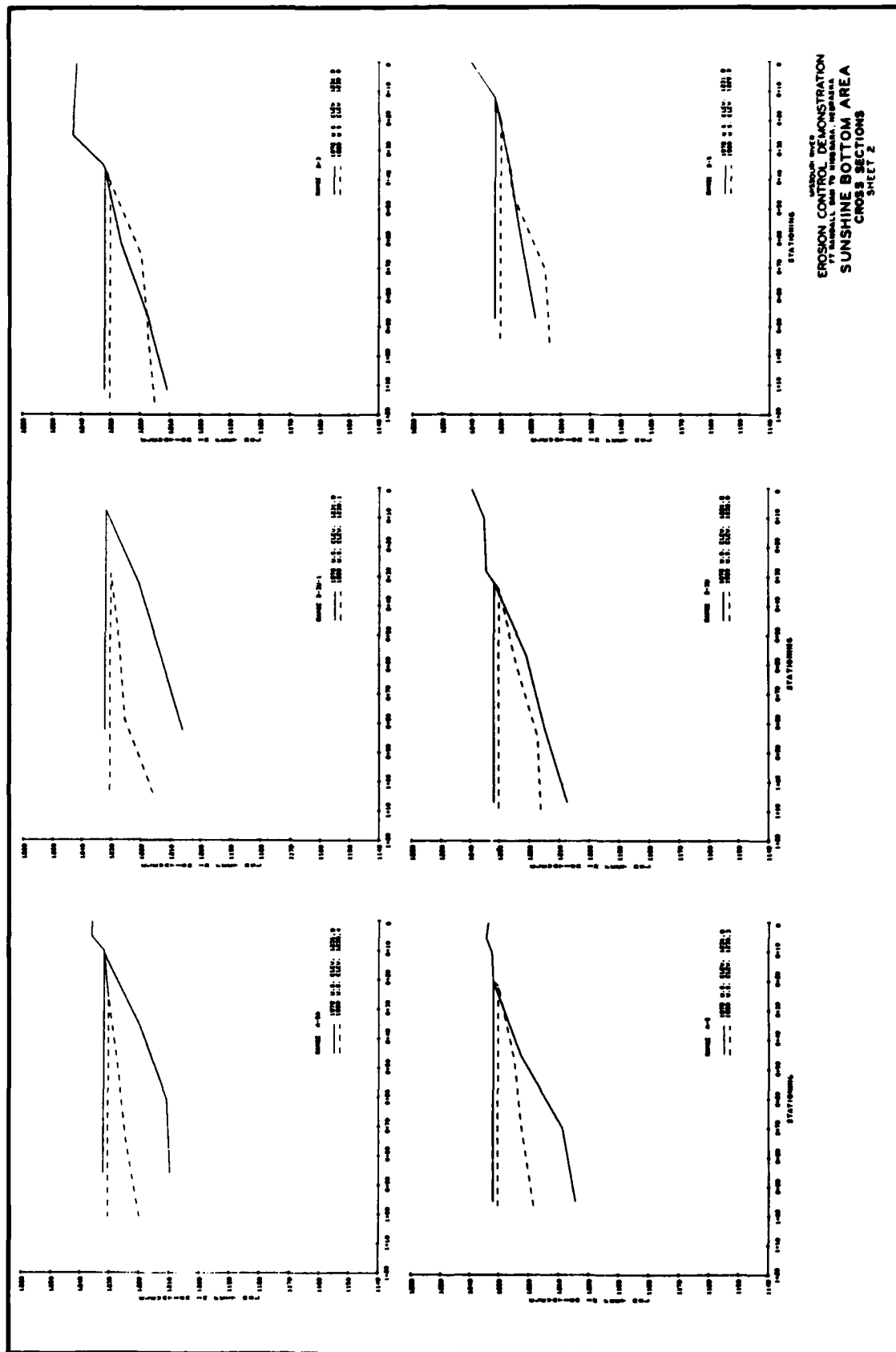
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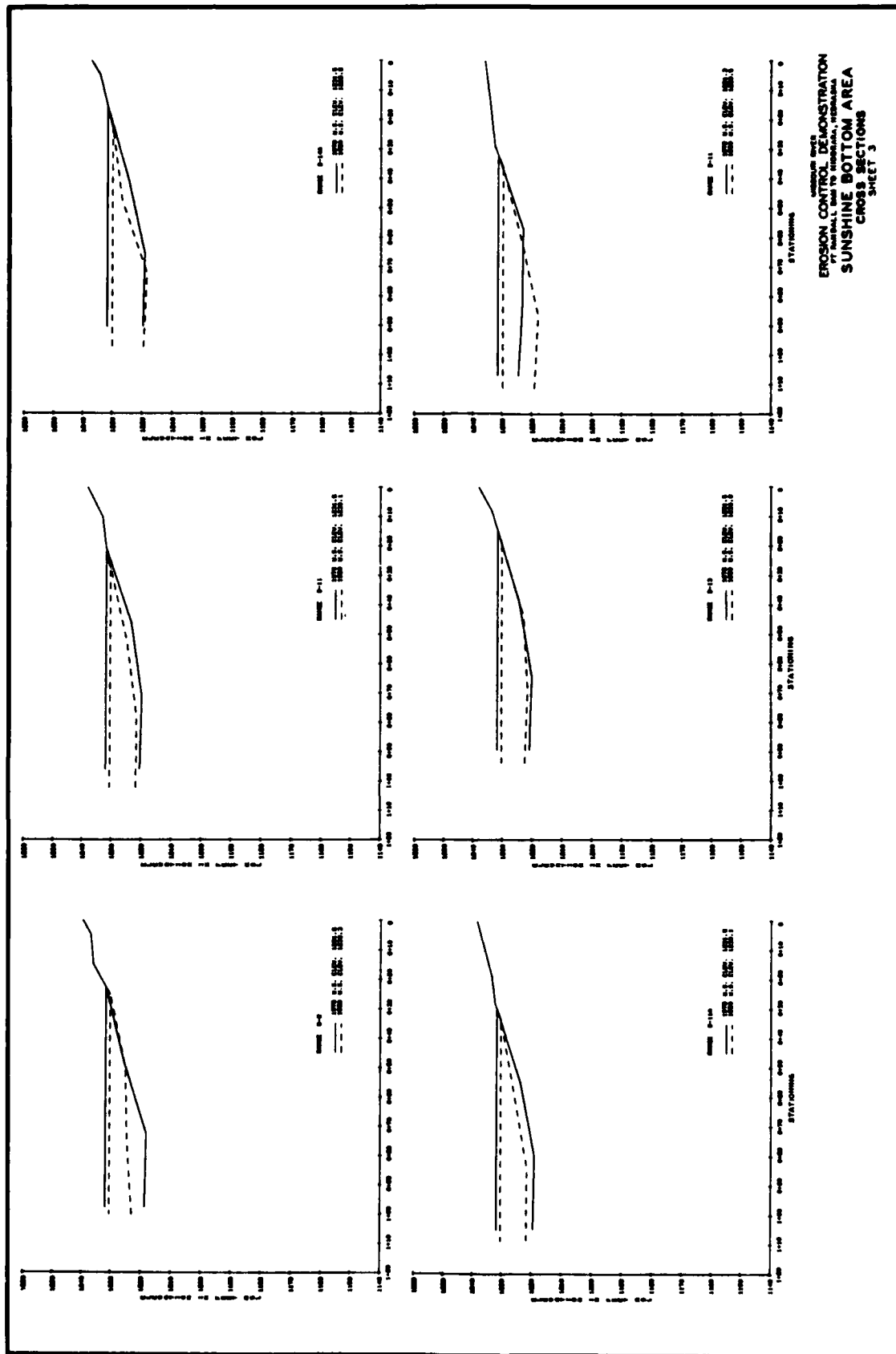


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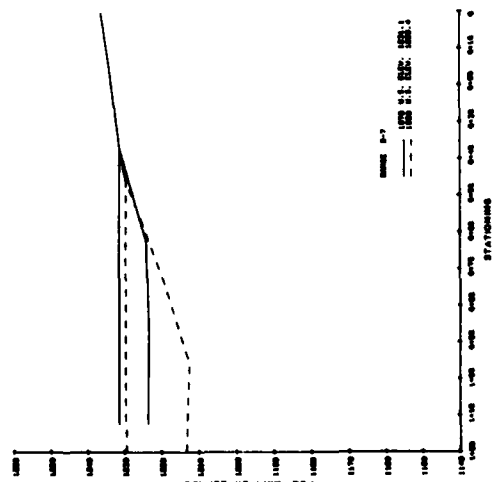
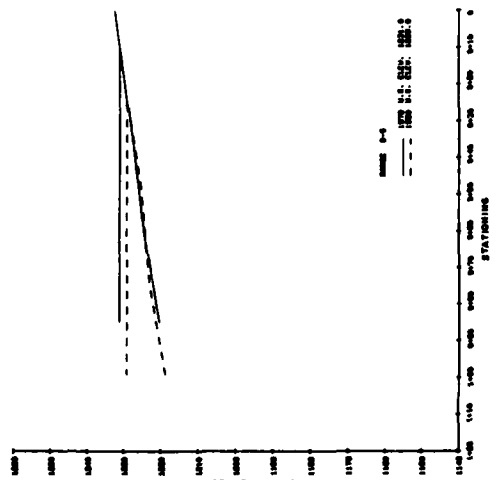
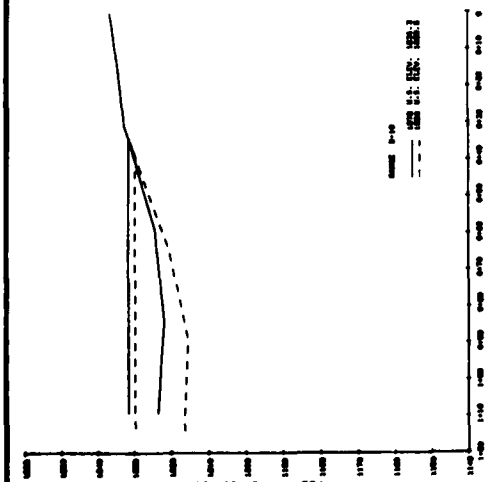
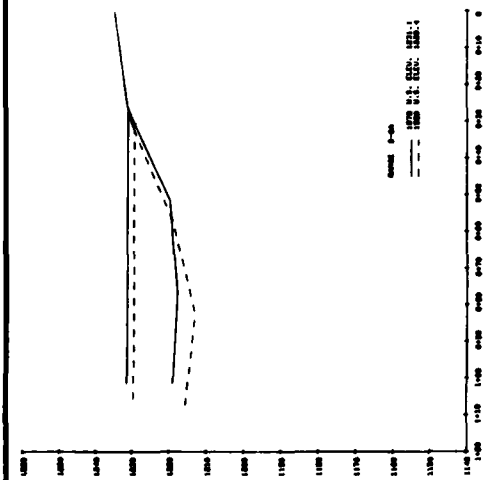
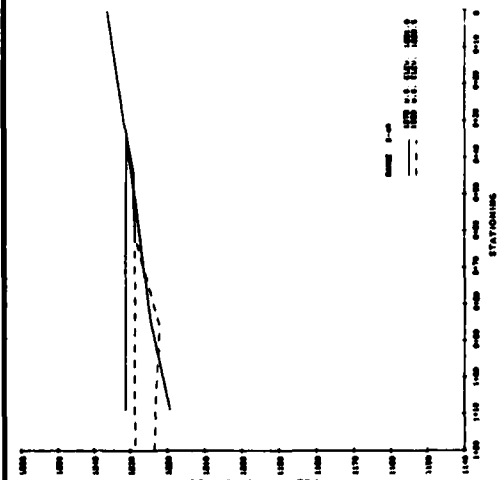


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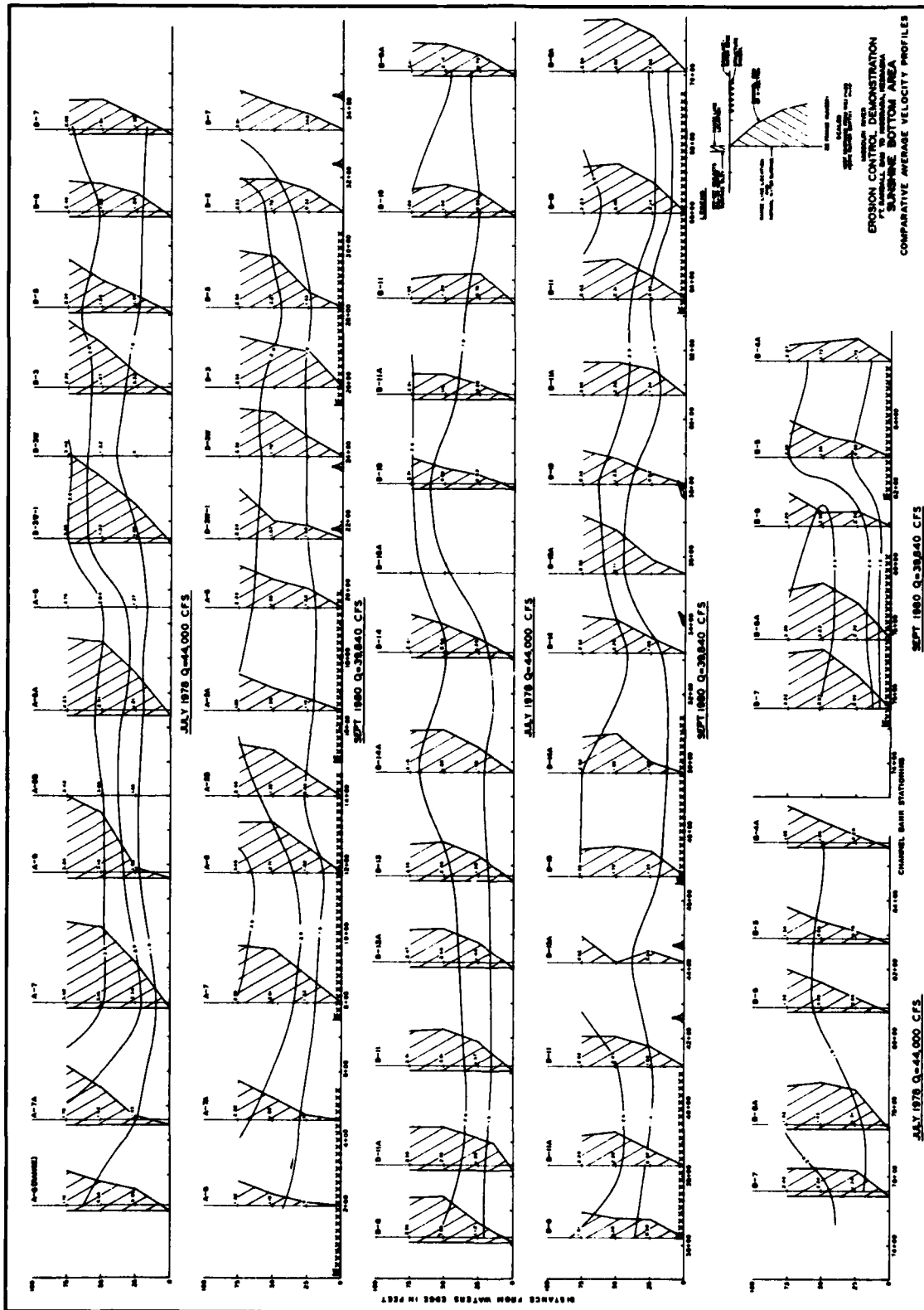


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